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## OTTAWA CONSEQUENCE: NEW BRITISH DUTIES

### MOLLISON IN NEW YORK INCLINED TO GIVE UP RECORD-BREAKING RETURN FLIGHT HIS LAST

What Will Amy Say?

(Telegraph Special.)

St. John's, New Brunswick, Aug. 21.  
"I am a married man now and I am inclined to discontinue attempts to create new flying achievements," declared Mr. J. A. Mollison to-day, shortly before taking off for New York on the last lap of his Atlantic flight.

After his return flight to England from the United States, and he does not intend to take Mrs. Mollison with him, he intends to give up attempts at record-breaking.

He wishes also to apply the same strictures to his wife, formerly Miss Amy Johnson, saying that he intends asking her to give up all hazardous stunts for the future.

Nevertheless, though these are his feelings in the matters of feats of endurance, he has no intention of giving up aviation as a career.

#### MOLLISON'S FORECAST.

Speaking at a luncheon given in his honour, Mr. Mollison predicted that within the next two years, a regular Transatlantic Air Service will be operating between Britain and America, via Herby, Grace, Newfoundland, Reuter.

New York, Aug. 21.  
Mr. J. A. Mollison landed at Roosevelt Field, Long Island, at 9:35 p.m. a huge crowd, turning out to greet the hero of one of the most remarkable achievements of recent times.

#### BATHING-COSTUMED CROWD.

At least two thousand people deserting themselves upon the neighbouring beaches, deserted their gambling and galloped across the field in their bathing costumes cheering as they saw the monoplane landing.

Mr. Mollison was officially welcomed by the Mayor of New York, Mr. James Walker.

Motor-horns and loud-speakers added to the din of welcome. Mollison's flight from St. John's, New Brunswick, took five hours and three minutes.—Reuter.

### FURTHER SILVER DECLINE

### DOLLAR SLIGHTLY DROPS

With silver down both in London and New York, the Hongkong dollar declined 1/8th this morning to 1s. 3 7/8d. The local market is largely lifeless.

In London, silver declined 5/64ths, the fall being chiefly due to poor support. India and China both sold.

New York reports silver down 3/8ths, with the market steady.

#### TYPHOON WARNING

The Manila Observatory this morning reports a typhoon in about 130° Long. E. and 26° Lat. N., direction unknown.

The Royal Observatory reports that the anticyclone over N. China has increased slightly in intensity. A typhoon is situated about 100 miles east of Naha, probably moving northward. Local forecast:—



Mr. Stanley Baldwin, head of the United Kingdom delegation.

### KOWLOON RICKSHA INCIDENT

#### ARGYLL PRIVATE CHARGED

#### FINES IMPOSED

Two separate charges of assaulting a ricksha coolie and a police officer and one of disorderly conduct were brought against Private Andrew Connor, of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, at the Kowloon Magistracy before Mr. Fraser this morning.

It was alleged by Detective Inspector Elston, who prosecuted, that defendant hired a ricksha outside the Palace Hotel at about 11 p.m. on Friday. The coolie took him out to Nathan Road where, the coolie alleged, defendant hit him on the shoulder with a stick. The coolie also alleged that defendant tried to kick him when he was between the shafts.

Sergeant Brown, who was on duty in Nathan Road at the time, enquired into the matter, and he in turn, alleged that defendant tried to hit him. Sergeant Brown tried to take defendant to the Water Police Station, but the latter resisted arrest, struggling all the way along Nathan Road and Peking Road until they met a military picket, whereupon the defendant quietened down.

#### STATION UPROAR.

After he had been taken to the charge-room of the Water Police Station, defendant behaved in a disorderly manner. He tried to assault the police officers there, including the officer on duty. Defendant denied the two charges of assault, but admitted the charge of disorderly conduct.

Giving evidence, the ricksha coolie said he was waiting outside the Palace Hotel for a fare when defendant got on to his ricksha without telling him where to go. He was under the impression that he wanted to go back to the Shamshui Camp, and accordingly turned his ricksha to the left after reaching Nathan Road. Defendant then struck him on the shoulder with his stick and tried to kick him.

At his Worship's request, witness unbuttoned his coat, but there was no mark visible on his shoulders.

#### POLICE EVIDENCE.

Sergeant Brown testified that he was standing at the corner of Hap-hong Road and Nathan Road on the night in question when he saw defendant's ricksha with another one in front. The rickshas stopped at the corner, and he saw there was trouble. He approached the defendant when he saw him strike the coolie once with his stick, and advised him to go back to the camp in a bus. Defendant refused and asked him, who he thought he was talking to. Witness added that defendant swore at him, and later attempted to strike him.

Thinking it would be best to take him to the Station, witness caught him by the arm and tried to take him to the Station. Defendant resisted and there was a struggle all the way until they met a military

### FEATURES OF THE AGREEMENTS

#### EMPIRE PREFERENCES EXTENDED

#### NEARER TO ECONOMIC SOLIDARITY

London, Aug. 21.

A big advance towards Empire economic solidarity is recorded in the twelve agreements signed in Ottawa yesterday, seven of them by the United Kingdom. The most important are those signed between the United Kingdom and Canada and the United Kingdom and South Africa, the main points of which are analysed below.



Messrs. Forbes (New Zealand), Chatterjee (India), Havenga (South Africa) and Bruce (Australia), all of whom signed treaties with the United Kingdom on Saturday.

Britain undertakes to impose new duties on certain foreign commodities competing with Empire countries, including wheat-in-grain, in return for which the obstacles to United Kingdom trade are reduced.

#### ANGLO-CANADIAN AGREEMENT

##### PROHIBITION OF "DUMPING"

The Anglo-Canadian agreement continues the free entry into the United Kingdom for a period of three years of Canadian dairy produce, but the United Kingdom Government may thereafter impose a duty if the interests of United Kingdom producers so demand.

The U.K. Government undertakes to impose the following duties:

- On foreign wheat-in-grain, 2/- per quarter.
- On butter, 15/- per cwt.
- On cheese, fifteen per cent. ad valorem.
- On apples, raw, 4/6 per cwt.
- On apples, canned, 3/6 in addition to the duty in respect of the sugar content.
- On eggs in shell, from 1/- to 1/9 per hundred, according to the number of pounds.
- On copper, unwrought, 2d. per lb.

The United Kingdom Government further undertakes that the general ad valorem duty of ten per cent. shall not be reduced without the consent of Canada on all kinds of timber, fish, asbestos, zinc and lead.

##### WORLD PRICE LEVEL.

The U.K. duty on wheat-in-grain, copper, zinc and lead may be removed if Empire producers are unwilling to offer them on first sale in the United Kingdom at prices not exceeding world prices and in sufficient quantities to meet Britain's needs.

Canadian bacon and hams, up to a maximum of 2,500,000 cwt. will be admitted to the United Kingdom free of duty.

The existing preference to Canadian tobacco will continue for ten years.

##### CANADA'S TARIFF CHANGES.

The schedule, to be published later, sets forth 220 items in the Canadian tariff, in respect of which new or increased preferences are granted to the United Kingdom.

The schedule covers a wide range of commodities, including numerous items upon which

#### SOUTH AFRICA FRUIT PREFERENCE

##### BRITAIN TO IMPOSE SPECIAL DUTIES.

The Agreement between Britain and South Africa ensures the continuance of entry, duty free, of South African goods, but, while granting free entry to South African dairy products for three years, Britain reserves the right thereafter, in the interests of the British producer, either to impose a preferential duty on South African produce, or to bring such produce within the system of quantitative regulation of supplies from all sources into the United Kingdom market.

##### NEW TARIFFS.

Britain will introduce legislation imposing duties on foreign oranges, grape-fruit, peaches, nectarines and other fruit competing with South African produce, as well as a duty of ten per cent. ad valorem on flat white maize and twopence a pound on copper.

Britain will also grant a preference of two shillings per gallon on South African wines not exceeding 27 degrees proof spirit.

##### SOUTH AFRICA'S "OFFER."

Britain undertakes not to reduce the general ten per cent. ad valorem duty on certain foreign goods competing with South African products, and will continue the existing preference on South African tobacco for ten years.

The Government will also make provision for the importation of South African mutton and lamb in any scheme for quantitative regulation of imports.

South Africa will introduce legislation securing preferences for a list of British goods not yet specified.

The Treaty remains in force for five years, and thereafter may be denounced on six months' notice.—Reuter.

which have now been transferred to the free list.



Mr. R. B. Bennett, Canada, chairman of the Imperial Economic Conference.

### NEW HARBIN PERIL

#### HEAVY RAINFALL RESUMES

#### SUNGARI BRIDGE IN BAD STATE

Harbin, Aug. 22.

The danger of a collapse of the Harbin bridge, the tremendous structure which spans the Sungari River is now officially admitted.

The bridge has withstood the terrific buffeting of the flood waters for over a month and the gradual lessening of the peril in the absence of further rising of the water during last week gave rise to the hope that Harbin had passed the worst stage of the flood catastrophe.

New, however, the rains have resumed and the Sungari has risen two inches in the last twenty-four hours, the flood waters throughout Harbin having risen simultaneously, causing further anxiety.

Ballasting operations have been resumed on a large scale on Harbin Bridge. It is admitted that at least one of the huge spans is in a precarious state.

Meanwhile, the outbreak of cholera among the refugees continues to spread at an appalling rate.—Reuter.

tween the iron and steel interests will be used as a basis for tariff adjustments. Canada undertakes that the tariff shall be based on the principle of protective duties and shall not exceed such a level as would give the United Kingdom producers a full opportunity of reasonable competition on the basis of relative cost and economical and efficient production.

Article 21 of the Agreement provides that if the United Kingdom and Canada are satisfied that mutual preferences may be frustrated through foreign State action as regards any class of commodity, they will prohibit the entry of such commodities.

Protection by Canada against U.K. products are only to be imposed in the case of Canadian industries which are reasonably assured of sound opportunities of success.

##### TARIFF BOARD.

Canada undertakes to create a Tariff Board at which the U.K. producers will have full rights of audience. Canada will abolish all existing surcharges on imports from the United Kingdom immediately the finances of Canada allow.

The Treaty runs for five years. With reference to the revisions

### WARM TIME FOR MINISTER

#### SHANGHAI WAITS FOR MR. SOONG

#### HOSTILITY TO TAX ON BANKNOTES

#### TAEL ABOLITION CONTROVERSY

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, Aug. 22.  
Mr. T. V. Soong, the Minister of Finance, who took part in the Kuling Conference, is returning to Shanghai to-day ready to "face the music."

It is declared that he will find plenty of opposition awaiting him in connexion with the two important projects he now has in hand, namely, the process for the abolition of the tael and the proposal to raise \$20,000,000 by a tax on banknotes.

The keenest fight is likely to be over the proposed bank-notes tax.

##### BANKING ARGUMENT.

Chinese bankers in the city have been deliberating upon the question and are violently opposed to the tax. They are now waiting for Mr. T. V. Soong's arrival in order that the matter may be discussed.

A strong delegation has been appointed to inform Mr. Soong that in view of the general trade depression and the tremendous loss of business suffered during the Sino-Japanese War, they can ill-afford to pay such a tax.

##### CURRENCY PROBLEM.

Regarding the abolition of the tael, it is suggested that the silver dollar as the unit of Chinese currency should represent 7.9 taels cents, and that the dollar should contain eighty per cent. of silver and twelve per cent. of copper.

Foreign bankers in Shanghai, whose opinions regarding the abolition of the tael have been solicited, maintain that the dollar should represent 72 taels cents, and that the dollar should contain a higher percentage of silver than has been suggested.—Reuter.

### WUCHOW FLOODS SUBSIDE

#### BUSINESS HOUSES REOPENED

Wuchow, Aug. 20.

Following a long period of severe flood conditions, Wuchow's business section is slowly regaining its normal busy atmosphere. Tradespeople and business houses located on the affected areas have suffered greatly from the past weeks of flood conditions. With the main thoroughfares under several feet of water, business was at a standstill, but with the reopening of the commercial houses, business will gain momentum as the days pass.

The flood of the last few weeks was the second serious freshet of the West and Foo Rivers to affect the city of Wuchow and surrounding villages. Although the water level of the Foo River has dropped considerably, the river is still navigable to motor launches as far up as Pinglo.

In carrying out the water system project which has been under way for over a year, the contractors are now erecting a reservoir on the west foreshore of the Foo River, which will serve as a source of supply for the Kwangsi University. Work continues on the new Wuchow Post Office Building and the water system in the city proper.—Our Own Correspondent.

Belfast, Aug. 20.

The International Motoring Tourist Trophy was won by Whitcroft, driving a Riley, in 4 hrs. 58 mins. 04 secs., at an average speed of 74.23 miles an hour.

Eyton, who also drove a Riley, was

### NO CASE TO ANSWER

#### DEFENCE PLEA IN CHENG TRIAL

#### CASE FOR CROWN CONCLUDED

#### ZIMMERN AGAIN QUESTIONED

This morning brought a closure to the case for the Crown in the trial of Cheng Kwok-yau for procuring the murder of George Fung.

The defence is submitting, prior to any further proceedings, that it has no case to answer in law, and this afternoon is being devoted to argument on the point.

The reason for Zimmern's and Christie's visit to Mr. E. Davidson, solicitor in the firm of Hastings, Denny's and Bowley, was given when the trial was resumed this morning.

"Zimmern asked me, if he killed a man under certain circumstances would it be manslaughter," said Mr. Davidson.

Mr. Jenkin:—There was no question as to how Zimmern could swindle anybody?—No.

Mr. Sheldon:—What was the case put to you?

##### TWO ALTERNATIVES.

Witness:—Zimmern put the case as his own. He said he had an enemy who had taken away the girl with whom he had lived for a long time, but to whom he was not married. This enemy had also taken his money and he wanted to know if he killed him in a brawl, he (Zimmern) being drunk, would it be manslaughter. Alternatively, he wanted to know would it be manslaughter if this enemy were killed by a man under 21.

Cheung Ka-mo, landlord of No. 19, Man Chung Fong, who gave evidence on Friday was re-called for cross-examination by Mr. Jenkin.

"Your Lordship will be glad to know that we expect to finish with the Crown evidence this morning," said Mr. Jenkin, before questioning witness.

Under cross-examination, Cheung said he had known Tsui for a number of years, but denied that he was a member of Tsui's gang.

##### ONLY \$30 RECEIVED.

Mr. Jenkin:—You say the only money you ever received from Tsui was \$30 which included rent of cubicle?

Witness:—It included rent of the room and money I had advanced to buy them food. By request, Tsui was brought into Court.

Mr. Jenkin:—Now this man swears that he paid you between \$150 and \$200.

Witness:—That is untrue. Questioned about the renting of the cubicle, witness said that Tsui went to the premises in the morning, but nothing was mentioned about the price. In the afternoon, Tsui sent a man who paid deposit of \$2 for the room.

##### NEW EVIDENCE.

Mr. Jenkin:—That's new evidence, isn't it?—I have mentioned this \$2 deposit all along.

This reference to Tsui having sent another man around is absolutely new, isn't it?

Witness, in reply to a further question, said he did not mention that because he had not been asked. Yip Yau-tim, a new witness, was next called. He said that he was an apprentice to the last witness. Some time in May or June last, a party of men rented the rear cubicle. One of them witness addressed as "Mr." This man was Tsui, whom witness identified in Court. Witness also recognised a photograph as being that of the man who had paid \$2 deposit for the room.

That photograph, said Mr. Lind-



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## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By W. E. McKenney

It is often as inconvenient to hold too many trumps as it is not to have enough. The play in which we get rid of these excessive trump is known as the grand coup. The declarer in the following hand must employ the grand coup to successfully make his contract.

♠ 8-6-2	♥ 4-3
♦ A-K-J-2	♠ 10-9-7
♣ K-Q-9-5	♥ 10-6-4-3
5-2	♦ J-9-7-6
♠ A-Q-J-10-5	♣ 4-3
♥ 10-8-6-5-3	♠ 4
♦ A-J	♥ K-9-7
♣ 3	♦ 4
	♠ 8-7-2
	♣ A-K-Q-10-8-4

The Bidding.

South, the dealer, started the contracting with one club. West bid one spade. North bid three hearts. This jump bid shows partner a strong hand and forces him to bid again. East passed and South bid four clubs. West passed and North went to five clubs.

The Play.

West has the opening lead and although his spade suit is headed by ace queen he decides that that is the best opening in the hand and leads the ace of spades. East plays the four and South, the declarer, plays the seven. West continues with the queen of spades. East shows out by playing the three and declarer wins the trick with the king. Declarer then leads his ace and king of clubs—on the second club West shows out, discarding the three of hearts.

The declarer has lost a spade and must lose a diamond trick, and it now looks as though he must lose a club trick to East as East holds the jack nine while the declarer holds the queen ten but has no way of leading clubs through East. Declarer now decides to try for a grand coup and leads the four of hearts. North, the dummy, wins the trick with the ace and leads the king of hearts. East playing the nine and declarer must discard the nine of spades so that when East gets into the lead on the ace of diamonds and leads a spade the declarer will be out. Declarer then leads the deuce of hearts from dummy. East plays the queen and declarer trumps. He returns the deuce of diamonds and West goes in with the ace and leads the jack of spades. East refuses to trump, discarding the four of diamonds and the declarer trumps with the eight of clubs and then leads the eight of diamonds. West plays the jack and dummy wins the trick with the queen. The good jack of hearts is led from dummy and when East discards the ten of diamonds, declarer discards the seven of diamonds. The king of diamonds is led from dummy. East is forced to trump with the nine, declarer overtrumps with the ten and then leads his queen of clubs, picking up East's jack. By employing the play known as the grand coup, the declarer has made his contract of five clubs.

**GORGOULOFF TO DIE.**

COURT REJECTS APPEAL OF DOUMER'S ASSASSIN

Paris, Aug. 20.

The appeal of Paul Gorgouloff, the Russian, against the sentence of death imposed upon him for the assassination of President Doumer, has been rejected by the Court of Cassation.—Reuter.

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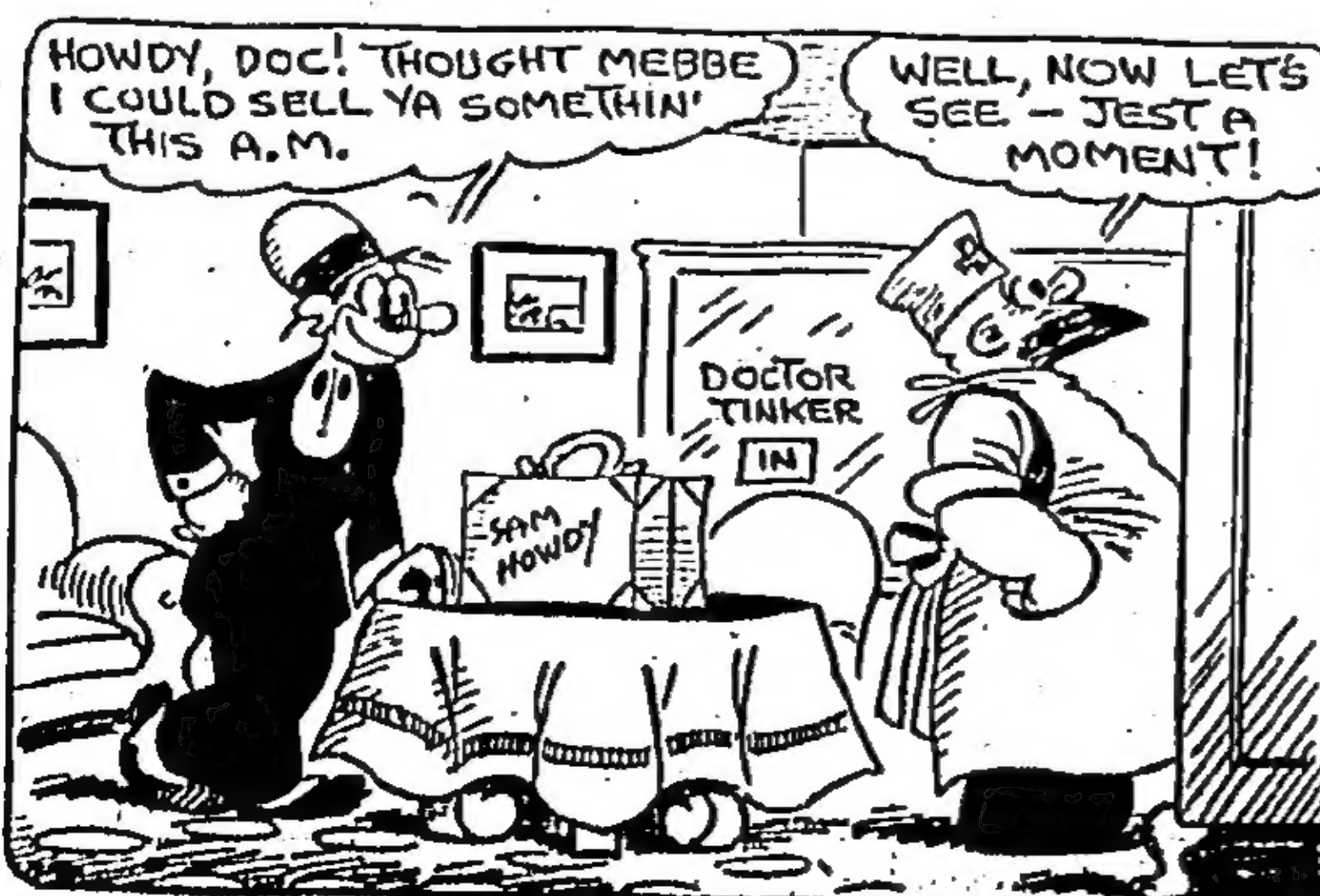
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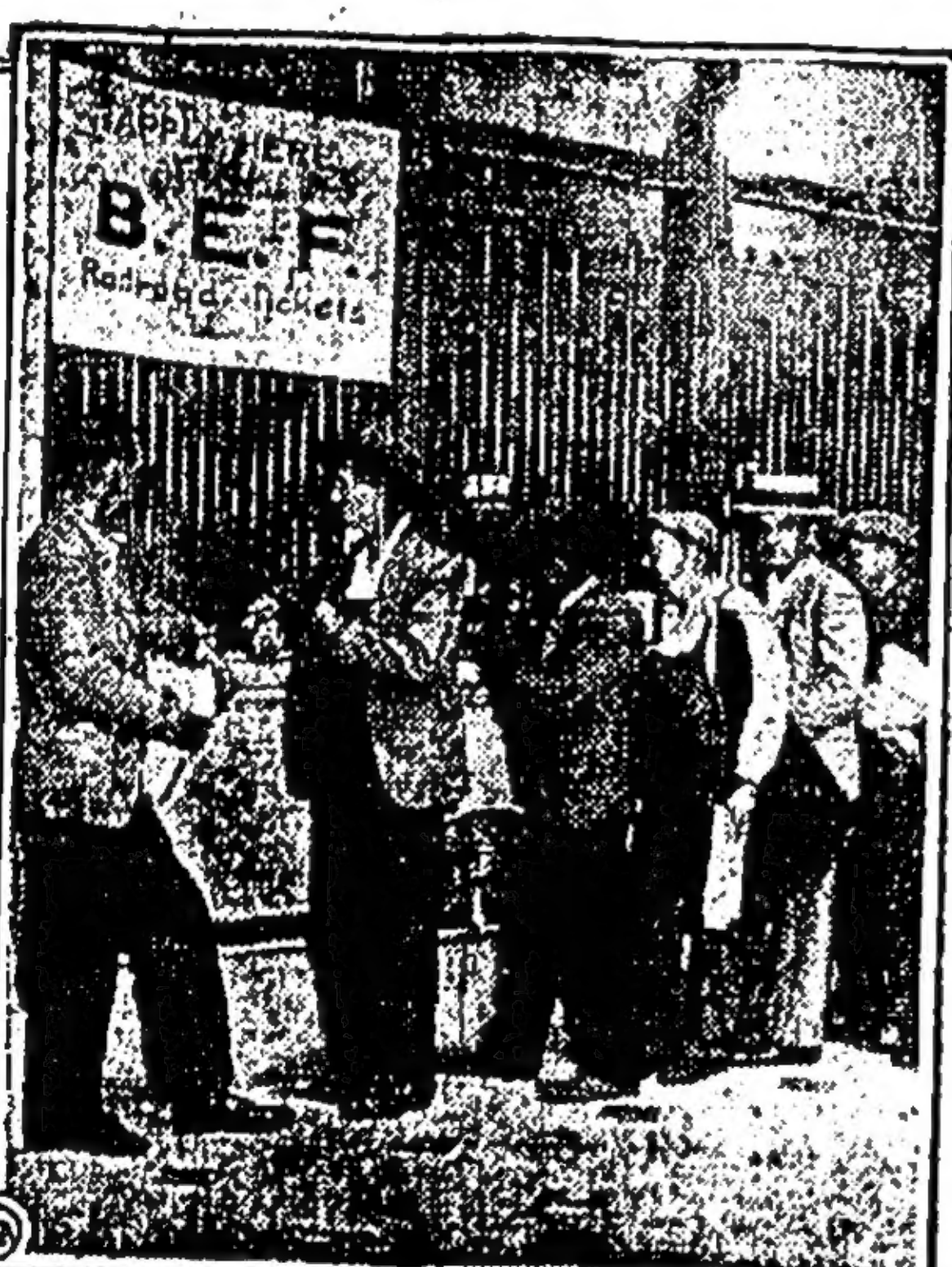
A threat of serious rioting hung over Washington, when this picture was taken, showing surging thousands of bonus marchers who staged a last, despairing protest.



Arms folded in an attitude of defiance, Walter W. Waters, commander of the "Bonus Expeditionary Force," is seen (second from left) as police led him from the scene of the menacing demonstration which his followers staged before the Capitol on the day Congress adjourned. At the right is Oak Carter, B. E. F. chief, also arrested.



While scattered groups of veterans continued to join the Bonus Expeditionary Forces in Washington, hundreds of those who had become discouraged by the fruitless siege took advantage of the \$100,000 loan fund appropriated by Congress for railroad fares to their homes. At left you see newly arrived bonusers building huts in the shadow of the Capitol. On the right are departing veterans applying for tickets.



## LEAP YEAR BRIDE

by Laura Lou BROOKMAN

Cherry Dilton, 19 and pretty, falls in love with Dan Phillips, newspaper reporter whom she meets on a tip that Tony Toots, Dan's father, is coming to Wellington. Cherry unconsciously gives this news to a reporter on the rival newspaper. The other paper gets the story and Dan's boss threatens, "One more slip and you're fired."

She goes to Dan, tells him what has happened and asks him to marry her. The ceremony is performed that night by a justice of peace.

Cherry looks for an apartment but is discouraged to find them so expensive. Dan calls, and she goes to a tip that Tony Toots, Dan's father, is coming to Wellington. Cherry unconsciously gives this news to a reporter on the rival newspaper. The other paper gets the story and Dan's boss threatens, "One more slip and you're fired."

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### CHAPTER XIX

Dan Phillips grinned as he fumbled in a pocket for the key. "I tell you there's nothing like it," he said to Pearson, beside him. "It's great to have a home to come to when you're through work—to know someone is waiting for you there—glad to see you and hear how the day's gone."

The key was in the lock now. Dan swung the door open and stepped back for the other to enter. "You know," Dan continued, "I

There was no answer. A frantic, seemingly endless moment and then the latch gave. The two men pushed the door open.

Smoke in thick grey clouds, filling their throats and smarting their eyes, swept past them. The room was filled with it. There were no flames they could see.

"Cherry!" Dan called again. "Where are you?"

Pearson closed the door and crossed the room to raise the windows higher. "It seems to be coming from over there," he said, pointing toward the kitchen. He stopped in another fit of coughing.

Dan had the kitchen door open. Yes, that was where the smoke was coming from. It poured forth in dense, almost suffocating clouds. Pearson saw Dan's arms go around an indistinct figure. "Why, darling," Dan was saying. "You mustn't stay in all this smoke. You've got to get out of here! What in the world happened? Tell me about it!"

The girl made some answer but the words were so muffled Pearson could not hear them. Dan spoke again. "But it's all right now," he urged. "Don't cry, honey! Be glad it wasn't worse. Lord, I was frightened!"

The situation was embarrassing for Pearson. The living room was gradually clearing of the heavy air. He saw that the table had been drawn out and laid with dishes and silver. That there would be no din-



"Mr. Zero" was among those present during the attempt to stage a bonus demonstration in front of the White House. Here he was protestingly led from the scene. Mr. Zero—whose real name is Urban Ledoux—had led a contingent of bonus marchers in a parade before the Executive Mansion. He's a familiar figure before the camera's eye when unemployment demonstrations are held in his native New York.



Freed after the sensational trial that stirred London, Mrs. Dolores Elvira Barney is pictured above as she returned home upon her acquittal of a charge of murdering her lover, "Michael" Stephen.



The descent of more than 25,500 feet which M. Rene Machennud (France) claims to have made by parachute from a military plane over Paris will set a new world record if the distance is verified. Here you see him at Villacoublay Aerodrome as he put on his jumping equipment, which included an oxygen tank, before the long plunge. The previous record was set by Coppens of Belgium, who leaped from a height of slightly less than 21,000 feet.

ner served was obvious. The whole meal must have gone up in flames. "Look here," he said, addressing Dan's tweed back. "I'll run along and drop in some other evening. You don't want company to-night. Some other evening—any time. Tell Cherry it's perfectly all right with me."

Dan faced about. "Don't go, Max," he said. "There's been a little accident. Something wrong with the oven. We'll all have to eat somewhere else. Just as soon as Cherry's ready we'll go out together. The three of us. But you mustn't leave. Neither of us would ever forgive you. Would we, Cherry?"

The girl's face was not visible. Pearson heard her say, trembling as though to keep back the tears, "N-no."

"Well, of course if you'd rather," he agreed uncertainly.

There were a few more minutes in which Dan flourished a large white handkerchief and drew cold water for Cherry to bathe her eyes. Presently she appeared. She even managed to smile as she made her apologies to Pearson. Her eyes were red-rimmed and swollen.

While she was changing her dress and repairing the damage of the tears the two men settled themselves with cigarettes. Dan explained what had happened. Cherry had put a roast and vegetables into the oven. They were nearly done when she remembered that she had not enough cream. It was only a block to the grocery store and she hurried all the way, certain nothing could happen to the meal in her absence. It must have taken longer than Cherry realized. The flames under the oven had a trick of blazing up higher and these two circumstances had combined to create disaster. When Cherry returned to the apartment she found the roast burned to a cinder and the rest of the meal as black.

"You're the first guest we've had here, you see," Dan went on. "Naturally she's rather hard hit. She's really learned to cook awfully well. Last night you should have seen the dinner she had ready for me!"

Cherry, when she appeared 15 minutes later, did not look "hard hit." She had been taught that hospitality consists of the manner in which you receive guests rather than what is set before them. Her

soul writhed in mortification but she determined to conceal it. Dan had been sweet to pretend everything was all right!

Before the mirror in the "dressing room" (it was really the bathroom), she brightened her cheeks with rouge and touched her lips with scarlet paste. A cloth dipped in icy water and held to her eyes had removed the red lines about the rims. Cherry slipped a slim, lustrous frock of black satin over her head. It was collared with a froth of creamy lace and there was a sapphire bow on one shoulder. Altogether a most becoming dress though she had not thought much about it when she had ordered it at Madeline's two months before. A small black hat and black satin jacket completed the costume.

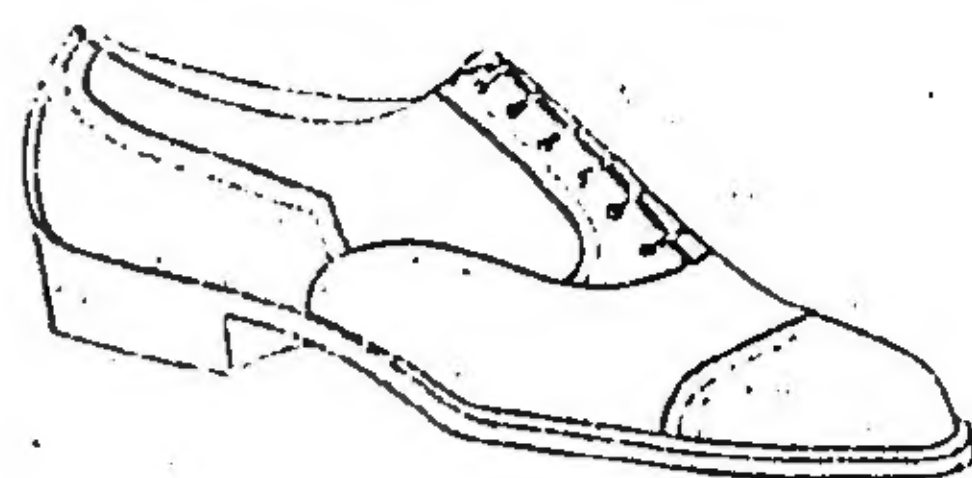
"Ready," she called as she entered the living room. "Ugh—I can still smell that smoke!"

The men rose. There was some discussion where they should dine as the three went down the stairs a few moments later. Pearson's car was parked at the curb.

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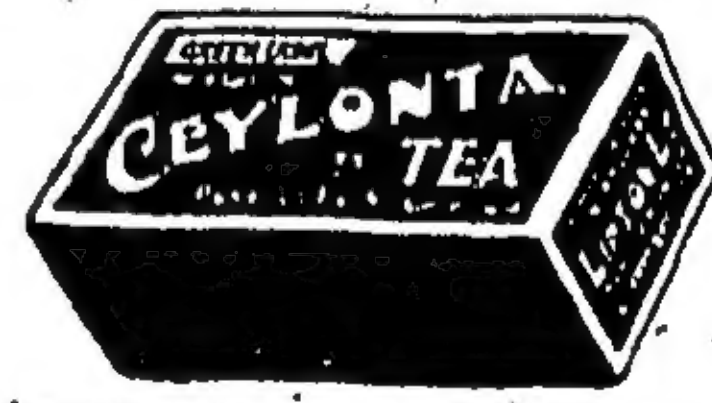
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| 22837 In a Dream.          | F.T.   |
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| That's What I Like.        | F.T.   |
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| Hiding in the Shadows.     | F.T.   |
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Chartered Bank, \$133 1/2  
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$21 n.  
Mercantile Bank C., \$9 1/2 n.  
East Asia, \$109 n.  
Am. O. Finance Corp., \$25 n.  
China O. Fin. Ord., \$16.5 n.  
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**Insurance.**  
Canton Ins., \$1410 n.  
Union Ins., \$460 b.  
China Underwriters, \$2.95 ss.  
China Fire, \$620 b.  
H. K. Fire Ins., \$1200 n.  
International Assoc., \$14 n.

**Shipping.**  
Douglases, \$20 n.  
H.K. Steamboats, \$22 1/2 b.  
Indo-China, (Pref.) \$45 n.  
Indo-China (Def.), \$32 n.  
Shell (Bearer), \$47 1/2 n.  
Union Waterboats, \$20 b.

**Mining.**  
Benguet, \$15 1/2 b.  
Kailans, \$20 1/2 n.  
Langkats (Single), \$14 n.  
S'hai Explorations, \$12.10 n.  
S'hai Loans, \$12.30 n.  
Raub, \$40 b.  
Venz: Goldfields, \$1 1/2 n.  
Benguet Exp., 22 cts. s.

**Docks, etc.**  
H.K. & S. Wharves \$138 1/2 ss.  
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S. China Motors A., \$10 n.  
S. China Motor B., \$8 n.  
Providents (old), \$50 n.  
Providents (new), \$230 n.  
Hongkew, \$15 n.  
New Engineering, \$5 1/2 n.  
Shanghai Docks, \$15 n.

**Hotels, etc.**  
Hotels (old) \$10.00 n.  
Hotels (new), \$10.30 n.  
H.K. Lands, \$75 1/2 b.  
S'hai Lands, \$12 3/4 n.  
Metropolitan Lands, \$15 n.  
Humphreys, \$15.90 b.  
H.K. Realities \$9 1/2 b.  
Asia Realities "A", \$155 n.  
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Chinese Estates, \$105 n.  
China Realities, \$11.40 n.  
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**Cottons.**  
Ewo Cottons, \$15.10 ss.  
S'hai Cottons, \$15.60 n.  
Zong Sings, \$11.10 n.  
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**Public Utilities.**  
Tramways, \$22 b.  
Peak Trams (old), \$16 n.  
Peak Trams (new), \$7 1/2 b.  
Star Ferries, \$32 ss.  
Yauamut Ferries (old), \$34 1/2 b.  
Yauamut Ferries (new), \$33 1/2 b.  
China Lights (old), \$17.90 b.  
China Lights (new), \$17.50 b.  
H.K. Electric, \$76 1/2 n.  
Macao Electric, \$24 n.  
Sandakan Lights, \$12 n.  
Telephones (F.P.), \$28 n.  
Telephones (F.P.), \$23.70 n.  
China Buses, \$12.12 n.  
Singapore Traction, 2/- n.  
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**Industrials.**  
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Cald: Macg. (Ord.), \$15.14 n.  
Cald: Macg. (Pref.), \$15.10 1/2 n.  
Canton Ice, \$5 1/2 n.  
Cements (old), \$14 1/2 b.  
Cements (new), \$9 n.  
H.K. Ropes, \$13 n.  
Agriculturals, \$10 1/4 n.

**Stores, etc.**  
Dairy Farms, \$27.70 b.  
Watsons (old), \$15 n.  
Watsons (new), \$12 1/2 n.  
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Lane Crawfords, \$5.25 b.  
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.  
Sinceres, \$16.75 n.  
Wm. Powells, \$3.35 n.  
Wing On (H. K.), \$205 n.

**Miscellaneous.**  
Amusements, \$19 1/2 b.  
Entertainments, \$13 1/2 n.  
S. C. Enterprises, \$3 1/2 n.  
United Theatres \$15 n.

## CINEMA SCREENINGS.

### NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES.

Like the oily-tongued villains of all good melodrama, John Halliday is apt at portraying the polished man-of-the-world. The chief difference between the stage variety and Halliday is that his experiences and knowledge of the world have equipped him to play such a role without affectation. "I gained my polish in the rolling stone manner," Halliday explained on the set in Movietone City where "The Spy" was being filmed under the direction of Berthold Viertel. "And like the stone, the polish was all I got."

Halliday portrays the title role in "The Spy," showing to-day at the King's Theatre, a characterization that gives him every opportunity to exercise the cruelties and deep intrigue he so loves in his dramatic roles. Key Johnson and Neil Hamilton are featured in the tempestuous romance woven into the plot of this sensational drama of the New Russia. Freddie Frederick heads a strong supporting cast that includes Austin Jewell, Milton Holmes and Henry Kolker.

"Tell England." Behind the screen on which "Tell England," the British film epic of the heroic Dardanelles campaign, which will be presented at the Queen's Theatre on Wednesday, is a story of tremendous adventures which befell the directors of the film and their company during the "shooting" of the battle scenes in Malta. The plans for filming such a gigantic undertaking were laid so that every thing should go with a clocklike precision, but even so a host of untoward incidents occurred.

The Royal Marines, some thousands of whom had been selected to act the part of the landing troops were specially vigorous in their performance. Those who were detailed for casualties tumbled into the water with wholehearted abandon, so that they had to be fished out again half-drowned.

A camera had been mounted in a lighter. No one, except the unhappy cameraman observed that the boat was sinking until the "Cease fire" was blown. Another cameraman was caught in an unintended explosion of smoke-bombs and had to crank his camera with an arm burned to the shoulder.

After one terrible onslaught with fireworks and explosives, it was discovered that the two directors, Anthony Asquith and Geoffrey Barkas, had caught the full force of the smoke and were completely black from head to foot.

Such contretemps as these did not, however, dishearten the company, as they knew that such things are necessary to produce a film of such absorbing realism as "Tell England" presents.

"Misleading Lady." Although Claudette Colbert has been non-resident in France ever since her sixth birthday, she still can speak the tongue of the country of her nativity as fluently as she does English. It is because she uses the Gallic almost exclusively in conversation with her mother. Now there are a number of studio terms like "rushes," "blimp," "shots" and "stills," which do not have exact French equivalents.

As a result when Claudette mixes these exact words in her home French conversation while telling her mother about the studio work of the day, Madame Colbert registers much of the bewilderment of a young scholar attempting for the first time to grasp a difficult subject.

However, with her stellar daughter for a tutor, Mother Colbert received a diploma in studio slang, a day or so after Claudette had completed work on "The Misleading Lady," her new Paramount picture which King's Theatre will show commencing next Thursday. Now when mother calls daughter to ask when she will be home for dinner and Claudette answers, "Il faut que je vais voir les rushes," Mrs. Colbert understands and the dinner is set back an hour.

"Dude Ranch." Jack Oakie goes Western in "Dude Ranch," the tornado of mirth now playing at the Oriental Theatre. In this picture the prince of joydom will be seen for the first time in a real cowboy "get-up."

But Jack isn't supposed to be the Richard Arlen type of two-fisted, sure-shooting, homeman of the real Western pictures. He is supposed to be a member of a travelling troupe who are stranded near a "dude ranch" in the Rockies and who pose as real red-blooded Western types to give the tenderfoot ranch guests a thrill.

The comedy effects from this situation are boundless and Mr. Oakie gets double laugh value out of them all. He is supported by such able purveyors of fun as Eugene Pallette, Mitzel Green, Cecil Weston, Charles Sellen and Stuart Erwin.

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Calcutta and Straits .....	Takada .....	August 23.
Manila .....	Emp. of Japan .....	August 24.
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, 28th July (and Parcels, 21st July) .....	Ranchi .....	August 24.
Japan .....	Santos Maru .....	August 24.
Japan .....	Kitano Maru .....	August 26.
Japan and Shanghai .....	Ranpura .....	August 26.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 6th August) .....	Pres. Jefferson .....	August 26.
Japan .....	Santhia .....	August 29.
Saigon .....	Athos II .....	August 30.
Japan and Shanghai .....	Porthos .....	August 30.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 13th August) .....	Emp. of Asia .....	August 31.
Japan .....	Tanda .....	August 31.
Japan and Shanghai .....	Asama Maru .....	September 2.
Japan and Shanghai .....	Yasukuni Maru .....	September 2.
Straits .....	Fushimi Maru .....	September 3.
Australia and Manila .....	Nankin .....	September 3.

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Swatow .....	Hydrangea .....	Mon., Aug. 22, 3 p.m.
Amoy .....	Newchwang .....	Mon., Aug. 22, 3.30 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island .....	Changto .....	Tues., Aug. 23.
Parcels .....	Reg. .....	Aug. 22, 5 p.m.
Letters .....	Reg. .....	Aug. 23, 9.45 a.m.
(Due Thursday Island, 3rd Sept.) .....	Kong Ning .....	Mon., Aug. 22, 4 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow .....	Halvard .....	Mon., Aug. 22, 5 p.m.
Dangkok .....	Tibbadak .....	Tues., Aug. 23, 9.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow .....	Haiching .....	Tues., Aug. 23, 1 p.m.
Manila .....	Pres. Grant .....	Tues., Aug. 23, 4.30 p.m.
Swatow .....	Chaksang .....	Tues., Aug. 23, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Canada, Central and South America and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia .....	Taiyo Maru .....	Wed., Aug. 24.
Reg. .....	Reg. .....	23rd 5 p.m.
Letters .....	Reg. .....	24th 8.30 a.m.
(Due San Francisco, 16th September) .....	IXION .....	Wed., Aug. 24, 10.30 a.m.
Japan and Canada and Europe via Siberia .....	Suisang .....	Wed., Aug. 24.
Straits & Calcutta .....	Parcels .....	Noon.
Letters .....	Letters .....	1 p.m.
Amoy .....	Tai Yuan .....	Wed., Aug. 24, 3.30 p.m.
Saigon, Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa and South American ports .....	Santos Maru .....	Thurs., Aug. 25, 10.30 a.m.
Amoy .....	Kiungchow .....	Thurs., Aug. 25, 3.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Vancouver B.C. and Europe via Siberia .....	Empress of Japan .....	Fri., Aug. 25.
Parcels .....	Reg. .....	Aug. 25, 5 p.m.
Reg. .....	Reg. .....	Aug. 26, 9.15 a.m.
Letters .....	Reg. .....	Aug. 26, 10 a.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C., September 13.) .....	Kingyuan .....	Fri., Aug. 26, 12.30 p.m.
Hoikow, Pakhoi and Haiphong .....	Haiching .....	Fri., Aug. 26, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Fochow .....	Parcels .....	Aug. 26, 4.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles .....	Ranpura .....	Sat., Aug. 27.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand via Thursday Island .....	Kitano Maru .....	Sat., August 27.
Reg. .....	Reg. .....	August 27, 8.45 a.m.
Letters .....	Reg. .....	August 27, 9.30 a.m.
(Due Thursday Island, 8th Sept.) .....	Pres. Jefferson .....	Sat., Aug. 27, 4.30 p.m.
Gango .....	Gango .....	Sat., Aug. 27, 5 p.m.

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File your nails with a soft, flexible metal file. Use an upward motion from the sides toward the centre. Choose your own shape. Rounded nails, pointed nails, sharp nails are all accepted. Choose the one that is best adapted to the cushions of your fingers.

When the filing is completed, soak your hands and push back the dry skin that presses around the base of your nails. An orange stick, tipped in cotton, and dipped into a cuticle remover is needed for this step. Work it gently but persistently around the base of the nail until you have pushed back the cuticle. Then work it under the nail until dead skin has been loosened and removed. If your nails have half moons and you should rejoice if they do—let them shine.

If any loose particles of skin are still hanging around, snap them off with special cuticle scissors.

Don't make a practise of cutting the cuticle itself, however. It makes it rough and ragged.

Pushing back the cuticle, with an orange stick, or your finger tips, every time you wash your hands, will keep this skin in place.

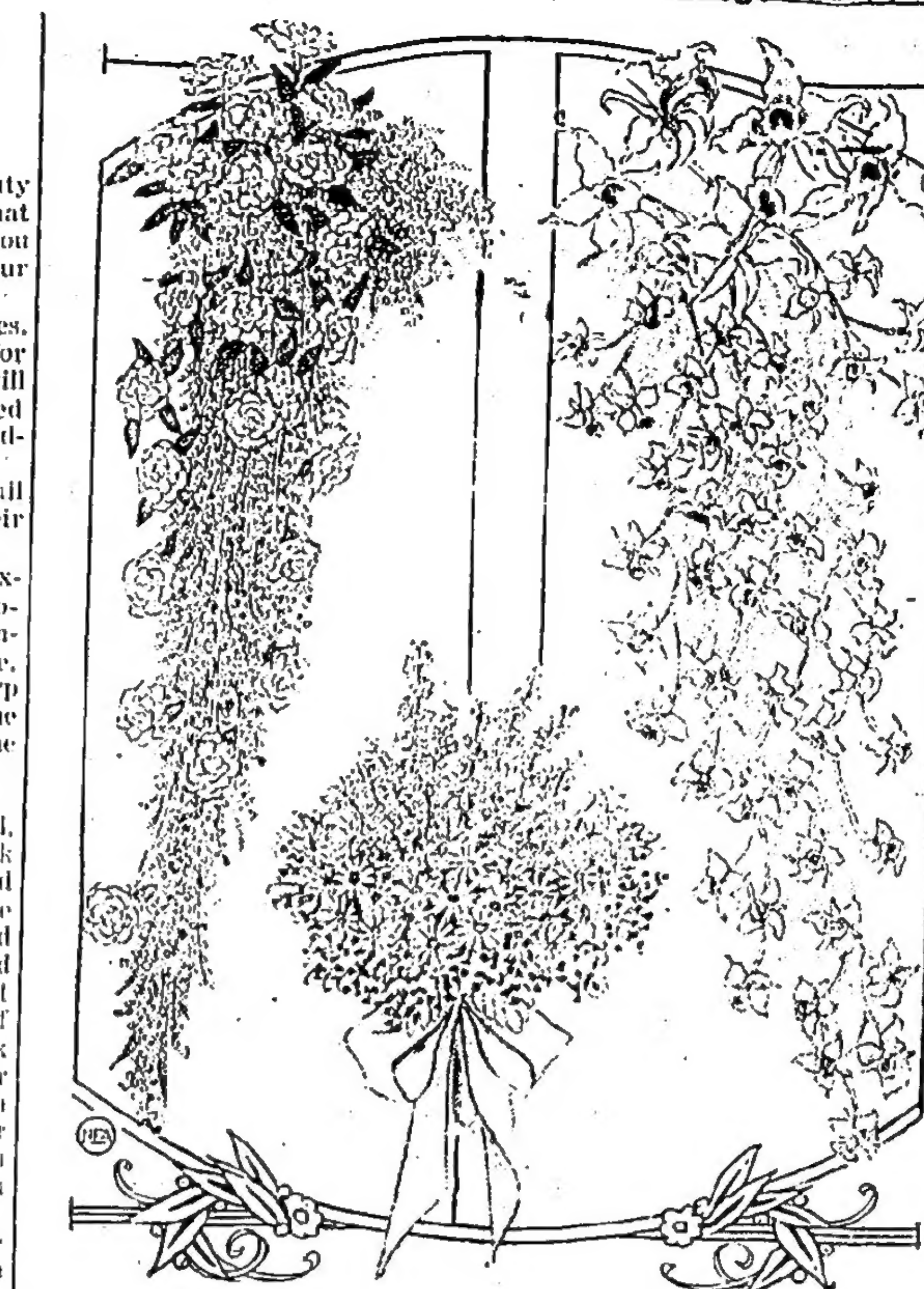
Wash your hands again, when this process is completed. Dry them thoroughly. Now they are ready for the polishing act.

### ORANGE DAINTY

Well butter a pudding basin and dust with fine sugar. Next line with cooked macaroni cut in equal lengths. Have three oranges peeled, seeded and made into sections. Put these in the prepared basin, adding two ounces stoned raisins. Beat one or two eggs, add a little melted butter, sugar to sweeten, a cupful of flour and a pinch of salt. Pour this on top of the fruit, cover with greaseproof paper and steam in boiling water for 1½ hours.



Feathers are a high fashion. This smart little mid-season turban, devoid of trimming, is made of tiny feathers in pastel colour.



The bridal path is strewn with all sorts of bouquets this year. If you are dressing quite formally with something old-and-something-new idea referring to heirloom lace and white satin, you will appreciate the bouquet at the left. It is made of gardenias and a long panel of lilies of the valley. The dark green leaves of the gardenias and the light green leaves of the lilies promote an interesting colour scheme. It has a satin cuff which fastens on the arm.

A cotton wedding dress is twice as beguiling when the old-fashioned nosegay, at the centre, is carried. It is composed of daisies, larkspur and falconer fern. The bouquet at the right is made entirely of white orchids. Five large ones are used at the top and long sprays branch downward from them. It is designed for a classic, formal gown.

### CHARACTER IN THE COIFFURE.

By Morna Clarke.

It has taken Argentina to bring back to Paris the brilliance of the social season. When she gave the first of her two recent performances the Champs Elysees theatre was packed from floor to ceiling and the Avenue Montaigne was black with private cars. Beautifully dressed women filled the boxes, the stalls and every part of the house.

What was of the most interest in fashion was the way in which women are doing their hair. In this they show more individuality than in anything else.

All the skirts are long. All the bodices are cut more or less low behind. White or black dresses go with a coloured wrap, both dress and wrap being fashioned after one style. There is very little diversity in evening dresses, only in colour and material do they show variety.

But the hair dressing is full of surprises.

Smooth hair and curly, short hair and long, plaited and rolled, or the hair may be dressed as Argentina's—parted down the middle and smooth as satin as it is drawn about the ears. There were many heads so dressed in the enthusiastic audience.

Again there is the style which seems to go so well with the long plain skirt and low bodice of the day. Smoothly and rather loosely it is drawn back from the brow in broad waves, almost covering the ears, and in the nape of the neck rests a roll or little bun. Earrings go well with such a coiffure, whether solitaires or droppers.

### A Ball of Flax.

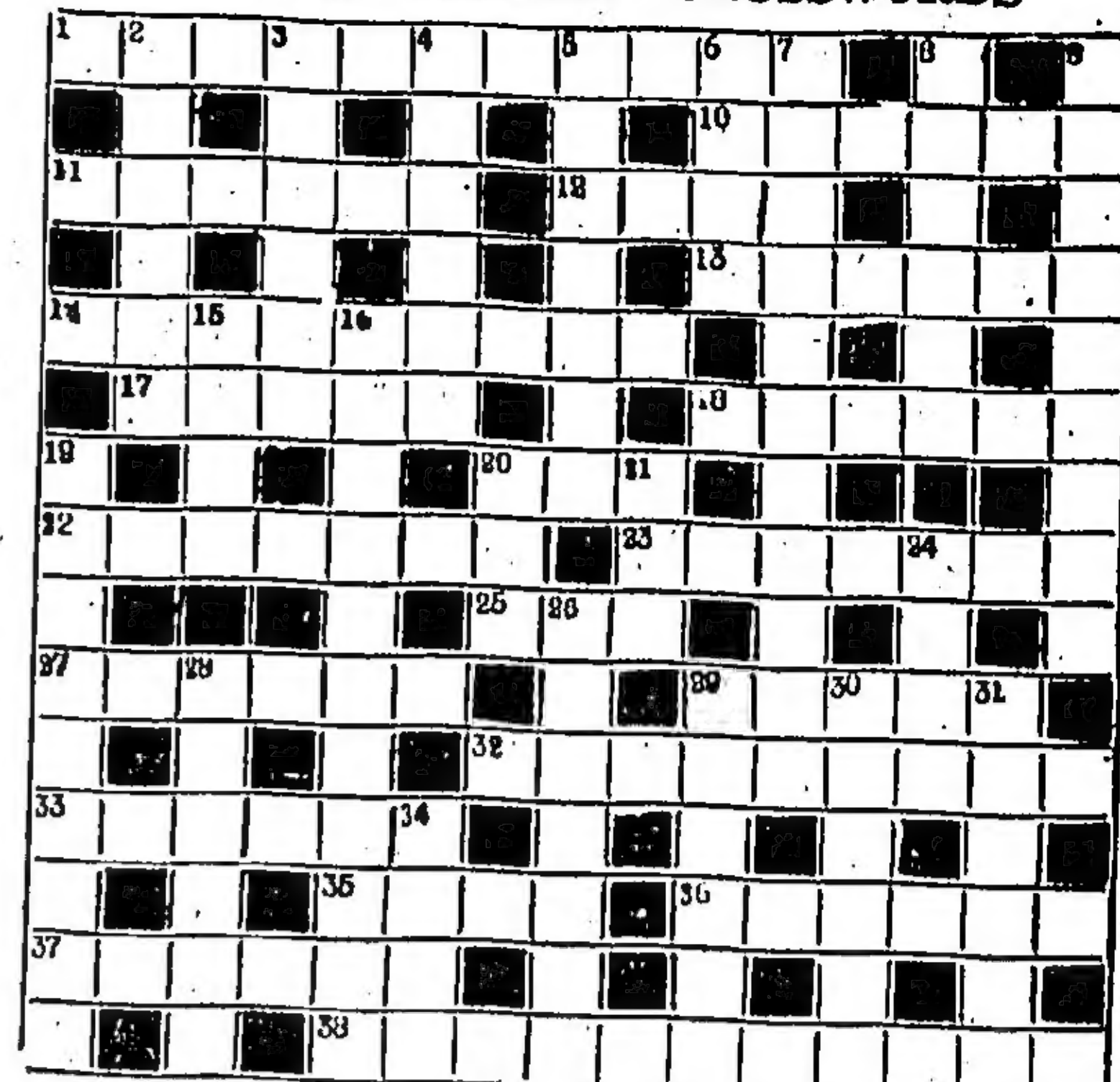
Then there is the close shingle with every hair glued, as it were, to the head until it looks like a smooth ball of ebony or flax. This is less becoming than the looser locks, but tidy.

Short hair, waved loosely and neatly set, is invariably becoming—as is any popular fashion. It solves problems and achieves mediocrity, but it has not much character.

The Medusa-like curls of the Schiaparelli school suit the very young and slim. The roll of plait about the ears is a fashion mostly followed by students, artists, musicians. This has its charm. Formless coiffures belong all too frequently to the middle aged. They say nothing, since they are a compromise between youth and declining years.

It seems to me that it is better to show character at the cost of convention and beauty. In this youth is braver than maturity. Dyed hair is bad style.

### OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



- Across
- Recent spasm (anag.).
  - Old bird lore.
  - I am involved in a hoax—hence the lament.
  - This is attached to it in church.
  - Scorlet in literature.
  - Automatic gesticulator.
  - The 15 in.
  - Untruths about a snapper.
  - Hidden in raspberry tart.
  - A kingdom that differs from 3.
  - It means by no means mean.
  - Hornless fowl.
  - There's no point in this at cricket (two words).
  - A girl and a sea soldier ask for disavowment.
  - It sounds like the big noise at bridge (two words).
  - This art is penetrating.
  - Storm without fuss.
  - Father is a hooligan when in pain.
  - Shifts.
  - I see Tim rule (anag.). (two words).
- Down
- Substance, when dead, of penny-sonian stepping stones.
  - Untaxed spirits.
  - Describes an old fashioned quilt.
  - Unfortunately ours are still as they are in the puzzle.
  - This boy is a habitual smoker.
  - An oversight is to be expected in those who do.
  - Hunt of a sort of snipe.
  - Trees that begin by being as near as possible.
  - The French have a hand in the puzzle.
  - This old reptile has a confused toper for a head and a poet's foot.
  - Sit up more (anag.).
  - Granted if owed.
  - This sort of 25 needs no 34.
  - A tragic lung, reduced in rank is noble still.
  - Mistakes about a conjunction.
  - Fish in the pig's home look hard and cold.
  - A blonde paradoxically may prove this.
  - Obliquely.
  - Mutilation, or problematic stitching?
  - Article of attire which, as here is often in another.

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### ENGLISH WEAVERS. WITHDRAWAL OF LABOUR ON AUGUST 27

London, Aug. 20.  
The General Council of the

Weavers' Amalgamation to-day discussed in Manchester the question of an immediate strike, but eventually endorsed the decision of the North Federation to withdraw all labour from the mills on August 27.

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### The Hongkong Telegraph

MONDAY, AUGUST 22, 1932.

### A WORLD EDUCATION CONFERENCE?

It is becoming clearer and clearer that the ultimate success of the League of Nations depends upon the schools. For that reason, considerable attention was paid at the recent meeting of the International Federation of League of Nations Societies to the question of a World Conference on Training in World Citizenship. The League of Nations, through its special Education Committee, has gone some distance towards getting the aims and objects of the League taught in the schools of the world. In most countries, it may now safely be said, there is some definite instruction on the new organization that has come into existence and further that international co-operation is the normal method of teaching world affairs. But the existence of a movement like this needs the development of a new technique.

Hitherto, the educational outlook has largely been bounded by national affairs. The new method that has to be evolved must take into consideration that not only are we all nationals of one particular State but also that we are nationals of the world as a whole. To solve this problem the International Federation of League of Nations Societies holds that the best thing would be to hold such an international conference as has been mentioned above. Obviously the best body to summon it would be the League of Nations, for there is to be found already in existence the requisite machinery for collecting the material before the conference is held and also for following up any results that may come out of the meetings. In the resolution that was passed, the Federation thought that the Conference should be composed of a strictly limited number of administrators and teachers as well as representatives of the voluntary organizations. The Conference would be called upon to decide how best to make known the work of the League and the international outlook. This in its turn is sub-divided into three heads. Firstly, there is the question of administrative measures that

through history, geography and other subjects, such instruction might be given. Lastly has to be considered the role to be played by such voluntary organizations as the League of Nations Societies for in their way they, too, are an essential factor in the situation.

This resolution is shortly to be examined by a special League Committee at Geneva. It is not known what attitude they will adopt in view of the difficulty of obtaining fresh credits from the League Assembly for any subject save disarmament, which is absorbing all the available funds of the League at the present time. None the less, such a conference should be productive of excellent results and lay the foundation for an outlook far removed from that narrow nationalism which has been responsible for much of the world's unrest.

### Making Hobbies Profitable.

The popular word "hobby" has travelled down a long road to acquire the meaning it now enjoys with us. At one time it was but the name given a small horse or a wooden counterpart of one, but to-day it has been glorified as the generic name for our best-loved avocation. Educators have found it convenient to place hobbies in three fundamental classes: the collecting of knowledge, the collecting of things, and the making of things; the most important, of course, being the last. The other two classes are useful only in affording release from un-congenial tasks or in filling the hours of leisure. The recent exhibit of hobbies by the Architects' Emergency Committee of New York City is an outstanding example of the many ways in which the skill of making and building things can manifest itself in men and women. The present time seems to be an exceptionally favourable period for the cultivation of hobbies. Many people having a great deal more free time than in the past may, very conceivably, find gainful employment in the use of what once seemed only an amusing way of occupying spare moments. It is said that the exhibit drew patronage not only because of its charitable nature, but because of the variety of craftsmanship and the intrinsic art it displayed. Such an exhibit might well prove even more interesting were it possible to show the favourable changes that have taken place in the hobbyists themselves in a renewing of inspiration, hope and, what is more important, a renewed faith in their own abilities.

### POLICE RESERVE

#### ORDERS FOR THE CURRENT WEEK

Police Reserve Orders by the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, Inspector General of Police, state:

#### Chinese Company.

Training Course—Part II.—All recruits will attend at the Chinese Company's Headquarters on Tuesday, August 23rd at 5.30 p.m. for instruction.

Training Course—Part I.—All recruits of the Chinese Company will attend Central Police Station for Squad Drill on Thursday, August 25th at 5.30 p.m. Dress—White Uniform and Cap with White Cover.

#### Indian Company.

Revolver Practice.—All ranks of the Indian Company who have been warned by the Officer Commanding the Company to attend, are reminded of the Revolver Shoot to be held at the Kennedy Road Range on Wednesday, August 24th at 5.30 p.m.

Inspection Parade.—All ranks of the Indian Company are reminded of the monthly Inspection Parade to be held at Police Headquarters on Thursday, August 25th at 5.30 p.m. sharp.

#### Flying Squad.

The next instructional patrol will take place on Friday, August 26th at the Central Police Station. All members must attend. Fall in at 5.15 p.m. sharp. Dress—White Uniform and Cap with White Cover.

#### Reserve Emergency Unit.

Equipment.—Members who have not received their new tunics will communicate with L/Sergt. Starling at once.

Parade.—The company will parade on Friday, August 26th at 5.30 p.m. Fall in at the Fire Station, Kowloon.

### DAY BY DAY

THE MERELY GREAT ARE, ALL IN ALL, NO MORE THAN WHAT THE MERELY SMALL ESTEEM THEM.

The Empress of Canada arrived at Vancouver on Saturday.

The P. and O. liner Ranchi, with the English mails via Suez, is due here at 9 a.m. on Wednesday.

Colonel and Mrs. C. D. Myles, who embarked on the s.s. Huichow on Friday last for a tour of North China, will return to their residence in Hongkong, at 50a The Peak, about September 20.

At to-morrow's meeting of the Rotary Club the speaker will be Rev. John F. Steiner, of the American Presbyterian Mission, Hainan, who will take as his subject "The Aboriginal Tribes of Hainan."

The body of a woman, Mak Nui, aged 66, a widow formerly of Tai Wai Village, Shatin, was removed to the Kowloon Mortuary yesterday. The woman was killed near the 93rd mile mark by the 6.25 p.m. train whilst sitting on the railway line.

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. Alfred Leonard George Eastman, assistant of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., residing at "Kingsclere," to Miss Jamesina Gray Coghill Brown, of 4, Highburgh Terrace, Kowloon Docks.

Whilst filling the radiator of motor car No. 1401 in Macdonnell Road yesterday at 1 p.m., Cheung Yung-kong, aged 15 of 12, Bridges Street, sustained burns to his face when the water splashed on him. He was subsequently taken to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

The flamboyant characterization William Haines has adopted in previous productions, is in "Are You Listening?", the current attraction at the Queen's forsaken for a melodramatic role, so dramatic in fact that the erstwhile comedian is hardly recognisable. He lends a story full of action and suspense. Life behind the radio microphone is vividly portrayed, ingeniously connected up with a form of the eternal triangle, in which Karen Morley, as Haines' wife, and Madge Evans, his preference, take the opposite corners. Accompanying this excellent picture, which is well worth seeing, is the second series of M.G.M. Flit Voice-Guessing Competition, a novel film contest which is receiving wide attention.

### MYSTERY AEROPLANE LANDS AT LOYANG.

SAID TO BE PILOTED BY A RUSSIAN

Peking, Aug. 21. A curious story of a mysterious aeroplane is to-day published in the Chinese press.

According to a telegram from Chengchow, an aeroplane suddenly came from the blue and landed in the suburbs of Loyang yesterday.

It was piloted by a Russian and another foreigner, and the story continues that when searched, the aeroplane was found to be carrying four machine-guns.

After being cross-examined, the pilots were sent to Hankow to await the decision of Chiang Kai-shek.—*Reuter's Special.*

## VIEWS OF A VANDAL

WE are good at games. Only your watch-chain, or what remains of your hair. And you will hear your male friends tittering in the background.

Yet you must smile and smile, though murder is in your heart; and you must present the little bully with any sum from ten shillings upward—blood money which, to you further humiliation, it crumples in its fat, woolly fist and throws on the floor.

One might say (one usually does), "Isn't he a fine chap?" but usually to find that it is a girl and that one's brave effort has been in vain.

All babies should bear a disc stating in large, plain letters and figures their sex, age, and whether they are supposed to be like father, mother, or both.

This would make matters a little easier, but it would not be a real solution of the problem.

All babies should be shut up in solitary confinement until they have learned to behave themselves and can be admitted to the company of their elders without causing confusion all round.

Scientists have suggested that some day there will be synthetic babies, produced by mixing various chemicals in a bottle. The sooner they come the better. And let them be kept in the factory until they are at least five years old.

The baby industry on its present footing is a grotesque failure. But for a few sharp outbreaks of babies in some of the new suburban housing districts, it would be virtually at a standstill. And all because babies are not what they used to be.

These are the days of rationalisation and mass production. Let us, then, get babies as we get motor cars, typewriters, and wireless sets, on the hire-purchase system. Then, if the goods were not up to expectation, we could simply let the payments lapse, and the articles would be called for next day and taken away by someone with a plain van and probably a still plainer face.

There is a saying that truth will out, but thanks to the bulldog tenacity of our race, we have hitherto been fairly successful in preventing it from so doing. Is our accumulated national talent as suppressors of the truth to be sacrificed?

Our voracious Vicar says that April 1st is a national day of lying, and that it is time we had a national Day of Truth. It does not follow. This specious reasoning would not deceive a child.

Everyone knows that it is only by taking discreet liberties with the truth, dressing it up, toning it down, lifting its face, removing its wrinkles, and otherwise making it unrecognisable, and therefore tolerable, that existence is supportable on this island.

Present truth in stark nakedness and we should be flying at one another's throats within half an hour.

Any politician will tell you that a little truth goes a long way, and that in these days of national economy it must be spun out as far as possible. But the politicians are not alone in that. Or perhaps I should rather say that when brought face to face with Truth, in her embarrassing undress, we all tend to become politicians.

Bathing Frights.

The bathing season, is still with us, and for a little longer we must look upon the disillusioning forms of our friends as Nature in her wadiom fashioned them.

Where is this "human form divine" about which poets become so ecstatic? We have searched for it far and wide, but have not found it, even when we have looked in the mirror.

The more we see of our fellow-beings in bathing suits, the more thankful do we become for the manifold blessings of clothes and for the regular re-rendering of our tailors' bills. Clearly it is these tailors and shopkeepers who make us presentable. Why some men and women should be so anxious to make exhibitions of themselves on the bathing bench, by wearing as little as possible, passes comprehension.

The human form as indigenous to this island seems to be either sketchily scrawled or ballistically rotund. The happy medium is rarely or never seen. Possibly it does not even exist. I hesitate to blame the Government for this.



"Just the same, you could let me win once in a while, without letting me know you weren't trying hard."

The health bulletin for eastern ports for the week ended August 13, shows the following cases of infectious diseases and deaths therefrom:—  
Plague: Alexandria one case, Baghdad one case, Bassora one case one death, Calcutta 47 cases 19 deaths, Pondicherry 1 case 1 death, Macao 25 cases 25 deaths, Amoy 97 cases 40 deaths, Canton 8 cases 4 deaths, Nanking 126 cases 17 deaths, Shanghai 343 cases 31 deaths, Dairen 26 cases 11 deaths, District of Port Arthur 2 cases 2 deaths. Small-pox: Alexandria 1 case, Baghdad 1 case 1 death, Bassora 1 case, Bombay 9 cases 5 deaths, Madras 7 cases and Pondicherry 5 cases 5 deaths.



## NO CASE TO ANSWER ANOTHER DEFEAT FOR PIRATES

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### LATENESS OF EVIDENCE.

In rising to cross-examine, Mr. Jenkin remarked that he only wanted to emphasise the lateness of the evidence of the witness.

Mr. Jenkin:—Was a statement taken from you by the police about three weeks ago?—Yes.

You were then shown that photograph?—Yes.

Re-examined by Mr. Sheldon, witness said that since the original statement three weeks ago, he had made another statement to the Chief Detective Inspector.

### MORE WITNESSES.

Later in the morning, several other Crown witnesses gave evidence upon which defending counsel offered no cross-examination.

A carpenter at 19, Maan Chung Fong spoke to a man coming into his shop and after passing to and from the rear part of the premises several times, dropped a white object in the shavings on the ground. Witness identified it as a white glove produced in Court. He subsequently gave it to the police.

Another witness, the owner of a furniture shop in Wanchai, spoke to furniture being hired by one of the previous witnesses, for which \$4 for the first month was charged and paid.

### "PANIC" EVIDENCE.

At Mr. Jenkin's request, Zimmerman was recalled.

"You remember when I was questioning you about the night of March 24th," said Mr. Jenkin, "and that part of your evidence which I referred to as the 'panic party' I put it to you that your evidence about Cheng saying 'You are taking me along the road of death' is false."

Witness: My evidence was true.

Mr. Sheldon: You are absolutely certain.

Witness: I can swear by the Holy God.

Formal evidence of investigation and arrest was given by Sergeant D. Fitches and Chief Detective Inspector Reynolds.

### NO SHUTTER.

Under cross-examination by Mr. Jenkin witness said he had been to the Kwong Hoi Kee shop and examined the door. He saw no indications of the shutter which was mentioned by Zimmerman in his evidence.

At the conclusion of the evidence of Chief Detective Inspector Reynolds, it was stated that Mr. T. Murphy (Assistant Superintendent of Police) might be called to depose to two dates on which Mr. Brutton and the prisoner called at Police headquarters.

Subject to the calling of Mr. Murphy, Mr. Sheldon said that that closed the case for the Crown. His Lordship asked whether the defence was calling evidence.

### "NO CASE TO ANSWER."

Mr. Potter said he was going to submit there was no case to answer in law, with reference, of course, to the facts of the case.

It was decided to argue the point this afternoon, and the jury were informed that they need not attend until to-morrow and would be notified if their attendance was not then required.

The trial is proceeding.

### HONGKONG TRADE.

### LOW VOLUME OF COTTON GOODS BUSINESS

The following reports by importers have been supplied to the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce: Cotton piece goods and fancy cotton goods.—The following reports have been received:

Further business has been settled in standard Spring Fancies but the volume of orders is decidedly below last season. Perhaps a third of last year's turnover has been done to date. Manchester prices are firm and negotiations for new business are now complicated by the threatened Lancashire Mill strike. Clearances have been somewhat better and deliveries of Staples have improved since the tightening of the anti-Japanese boycott in China. The advance in exchange has helped business but is offset to a great extent by the rise in price of raw materials.

The latest Cotton prices to hand are those of the 19th inst.—Mid. American "Spot" 5.74; Egyptian Sakel, F.G.F. "Spot" 6.00.

Woolens.—There is nothing to record regarding new business. Goods are arriving for the coming Winter season and clearances have commenced. Deliveries of Wool Yarns are reported to be fairly steady.

Metals.—Clearances have fallen off. Stocks are becoming heavy since arrival of fairly large shipments.

## Chicago Blank Phillies In a Tight Game

New York, Aug. 21.

Ball games to-day provided few outstanding features. In the National, the Phillies and the Pirates were shut out, while in the American League, New York beat Chicago 3-1 with only three safe hits. Results:

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Brooklyn	3	10	1
New York	9	17	1
Chicago	2	9	1
Philadelphia	0	4	0
Cincinnati	2	4	0
Pittsburgh	0	8	0
St. Louis	5	17	2
Boston	7	12	1
St. Louis	2	8	0
Boston	2	6	0

(A tie score).

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston	3	6	2
Detroit	1	4	0
Boston	2	7	2
Detroit	4	11	0
New York	3	3	1
St. Louis	1	3	0
Washington	5	11	1
Cleveland	11	11	0

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago	64	51	557
Brooklyn	65	57	533
Pittsburgh	62	55	530
Philadelphia	61	61	500
Boston	60	61	496
St. Louis	58	60	491
New York	56	61	479
Cincinnati	53	72	421

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

New York	81	76	693
Philadelphia	72	78	609
Cleveland	70	79	588
Washington	65	53	551
Detroit	61	55	526
St. Louis	53	61	465
Chicago	37	79	319
Boston	30	88	251

—Reuter.

### HOME FOOTBALL.

### FULL PROGRAMME PLAYED IN SCOTLAND

London, Aug. 20.

Another full programme of matches in both divisions was played in the Scottish League to-day.

Motherwell, last year's champions in the First Division, was held to another draw by Aberdeen, each side scoring once. Kilmarnock, who shared the points with them last week, thrashed Third Lanark to the tune of six goals to nil.

St. Mirren, who last week created some surprise by beating Glasgow Rangers, continued to show good form, beating Falkirk by the odd goal in five.

East Stirling was defeated again, this time by Clyde, who won by four goals to three. The other promoted team St. Johnstone, however, justified its promotion by having the better of Partick.

In the Second Division, Leith and Dundee United, both playing at home, made up for their lapse last week by defeating Dumbarton and Stenmuir respectively.

Raith Rovers won again at the expense of Brechin, while Arbroath scored four times against Queen's Park without reply.

The full scores as cable by Reuter and Our Own Correspondent are given below:

First Division.	
Aberdeen	1 Motherwell
Clyde	4 East Stirling
Falkirk	2 St. Mirren
Hamilton	1 Celtic
Hearts	4 Airdrie
Kilmarnock	6 Third Lanark
Morton	2 Cowdenbeath
Queen's Park	2 Dundee
Rangers	4 Ayr
St. Johnstone	2 Partick
Second Division.	
Albion	2 Hibernian
Arbroath	4 Queen's St.
Brechin	2 Alloa
Brechin U.	2 Raith Rovers
Dundee U.	2 Stenmuir
Dunfermline	6 Forfar
East Fife	4 St. Bernards
Edinburgh	2 Montrose
King's Park	1 Arbroath
Leith	3 Dumbarton

### A LOCKSMITH'S TRICK

### A SPANISH JEKYLL AND HYDE.

MADRID, July 13.

By the simple method of standing near the entrance to the local theatre and noting those who entered, a locksmith of Chesto (Valencia), well known and respected in the town, was able to carry out for several years a series of robberies without detection. His successful career has ended because it occurred to a spectator to return home during the interval for some object he had forgotten, only to find "his friend the locksmith" burgling his safe.

The locksmith's dexterity and the fact that he never took more than a part of the money or jewels he found, usually gave rise to the suspicion that a servant or some member of the family was responsible.

## RAILWAY'S ECONOMY AXE

### 200 GIRLS GIVEN NOTICE

London, July 16.

Nearly 200 girl clerks and typists with less than three years' service in the Southern Railway administrative offices received notice terminating their employment on Aug. 10.

This is part of a drastic programme of economy cuts involving the dismissal of between 200 and 300 of the younger members of both sexes of the "outside staff" on the same date.

The majority of the girls work at Waterloo and London Bridge. A few are employed at Victoria. No replacements are planned, and their work will have to be shouldered by those who are left.

### YOUNGEST FIRST.

The majority of the men who will find themselves faced with unemployment are about 20 years of age and have had a few years' service with the company.

The same principle has been adopted with the women as with the men—a Southern official stated, "those with the shortest experience have had to go. It is only fair to give first consideration to older workers and to men with family responsibilities."

All summer holidays have been postponed until after the middle of September, to avoid the employment of 1,000 casual hands usually taken on for the season's work.

Many of the men whose holidays have been postponed have had to forfeit deposits paid on accommodation at holiday resorts.

These staff cuts have been made necessary by the great decrease in receipts of the company.

### TRIBUNAL AND RATES.

The Railway Rates Tribunal issued their judgment yesterday of their recent review of the standard charges of the four big British railway companies.

From the evidence submitted the Tribunal came to the conclusion that "deficiencies" in revenue were disclosed, and that such deficiencies were not due to lack of efficiency or economy in management.

"As there was no evidence of any prospective improvement in the near future, we find that deficiencies, not necessarily identical in amount, but substantial in character, may be expected," it is stated. The Tribunal declined to alter rates.

## MAN TOSSED BY ELEPHANT

### SAVED BY POCKET CAMERA

Dares-Salaam, July 14.

A camera, which he was carrying in his pocket, saved Mr. W. H. Fletcher, a Kenya stock inspector, from serious injury when he was charged by an angry elephant near here recently.

The animal, which was guarding its young, was startled when Mr. Fletcher broke cover. He evaded the elephant's rush but the beast turned and repeatedly tried to gore him. Eventually it landed a vicious blow with one of its tusks but the tusk struck and smashed the camera and was deflected.

The elephant then caught Mr. Fletcher and tossed him. He fell into a tree and, clinging to its branches, remained there until the animal moved off.

A doctor from Nairobi dashed by aeroplane to the camp but found Mr. Fletcher uninjured.

## CHILD AND LIVE RAIL

### NARROWLY ESCAPES ELECTROCUTION

London, July 16.

The driver of an electric train on the Southern Railway near Isleworth last evening was startled to see ahead of him a child lying face downwards beside the live rail.

The child was first noticed by a signalman, who was unable to leave his cabin, but he set the signal at danger to draw the attention of the train driver to the child.

The driver brought his train to a standstill, and, armed with the "emergency hook" (a leak stick with a hook attached) he dragged the boy clear of the lines.

Happily the little boy was still alive, but he was badly burned about the face and arms, and his clothes were smouldering.

The child was Frederick Heayman, of Hartham-road, Isleworth, who had strayed on to the track which runs at the foot of the garden of his parents' house.

He is now in hospital in a critical condition.

## KOWLOON RICKSHA INCIDENT

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picket in Hankow Road. After that, defendant went quietly to the station.

### DEFENDANT'S STORY.

Declining the offer to go into the box, defendant stated that he left the Palace Hotel at about 11 p.m. on Friday night and engaged a ricksha to take him to the Shamshui Camp. The coolie took him out to Nathan Road, but instead of turning to the left where the camp lay, he turned to the right in the direction of the Star Ferry. Defendant, of course, objected and got out of the ricksha. He then walked along Nathan Road in the direction of the camp, but the coolie followed him. He tried to shake him off by striking the ricksha with his stick, but the coolie persisted in following him.

At this moment, Sergeant Brown came along, caught him by the throat and frog-marched him along Nathan Road. He resisted because he considered he had been put to an indignity in being marched in that manner down the street.

When they got to Hankow Road, they met a friend, Private Brown, and defendant quietened down.

### FRIEND'S EVIDENCE.

His Worship:—Why did you quieten down when you met Private Brown?

Defendant:—I knew that the policeman would not manhandle me like that with somebody around.

Private Brown said he had been to the Star Theatre that night and when he came out, he saw a crowd of people. He got near and found a struggle between the policeman and the defendant. He could see that defendant was resisting arrest but at the time he did not know what he was being arrested for. Recognising the defendant, he advised him to go quietly, and defendant did so.

His Worship (to defendant):—I must convict you on the charge of assaulting the ricksha coolie, but I don't take a serious view of the charge. There are no marks on his back now, and he himself admits that he was not struck hard. I am sure if he was struck hard, there would be some marks on him now. I intend to amend the second charge of assaulting Sergeant Brown to resisting arrest. This charge is more serious, but the most serious one is that of causing a disturbance in the Police Station. His Worship added that he would take into consideration that the defendant was, to a certain extent, under the influence of liquor.

His Worship:—What is the police view of the case?

Inspector Elston:—I regard the last charge as very serious, your Worship. Defendant was sober when he was brought to the station, and certainly should have known better than to create the disturbance that he did.

### GOOD CHARACTER.

Regarding defendant's character, a military officer, who was in Court, deposed to his good record, stating that defendant had never been in trouble before.

His Worship:—It is a very regrettable affair.

On the first charge, defendant was bound over, and was fined \$25 on the second and \$50 on the third. His Worship:—Will this be entered in defendant's record against him?

The Military Officer said he was not sure, but he thought it would.

His Worship:—I don't think it should, you know. What defendant did might happen to any man; it just happened that he was in the Army.

## SIKH OBJECTION TO COMMUNAL AWARD.

### TWO ROUND TABLE MEMBERS RESIGNING

Simla, Aug. 20.

Sikh dissatisfaction with the Communal award is illustrated by the fact that the Sikh members of the Round Table Conference and the Consultative Committee, Ujjal Singh and Sampuran Singh, have sent a letter to the Viceroy, Lord Willingdon, resigning their membership.

They declare they are unable to join any body formed for the purpose of drawing up the constitution in view of the fact that the Moslems an unalterable religious majority in the Punjab, in effect foreshadows the new constitution.—Reuter.

### LOCAL GOLF

### RESULT OF BOGEY POOL COMPETITION.

There were 17 entries for the Bogey Pool Competition played during the week-end, the winner being W. Mulcahy (8), who finished all square.

Other scores were D. S. Robb (3) 1 down; L. G. S. Dodwell (5) 4 down; A. T. Lay (8) 5 down.

## RADIO BROADCAST

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7 p.m. (Stock Quotations, etc.)

6.25-7.10 p.m. A Concert.

Song—Kathleen Mavoraen (Crawford and Crook)  
Muriel Brunskill (Contralto) S109.  
Octet—Althambriat (Album Leaf) (Wagner, arr. Willoughby)  
Octet—Traume (Drama) (Wagner, arr. Willoughby)  
J. H. Squibb Collette Octet DX29.  
Song—The Three Comrades (Bernhoff and Hermann)  
Molyn Thomas (Baritone) DX24.  
Piano Solo—Liebestraum (Dream of Love) No. 3 (Liszt)  
Piano Solo

(a) Waltz in A Flat (Brahms)  
(b) Spring Song (Mendelssohn)

Song—She Wandered Down the Mountain Side (Stephenson & Clay) Dura  
Octet—A Venetian Barcarole—Serenade (arr. Willoughby)  
J. H. Squibb Collette Octet DX211.

Song—Tom Bowling (Dillon)  
William Heveline (Tenor) DX79.  
7.10-7.28 p.m. Concert Waltzes.  
Wine, Women and Song (Strauss)  
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John Strauss & Symphony Orch. S221.  
Les Sirenes (Waltz)  
Les Patineurs (Waltz)  
Max. Band of H. M. Grenadier Guards S465.

7.28-8 p.m.

Concerto in E Minor for Cello and Orchestra (Elgar, Op. 85)  
W. H. Squibb (Cello) and the Halle Orchestra conducted by Sir Hamilton Harry DX117/DX129.

8 p.m. (Local Time & Weather Report).

8.3-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

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## MR. PYBUS'S ROAD ACTION

### JUDGE AND LAW'S DEFECTS

Mr. Pybus, Minister of Transport, has announced that, in consultation with the Home Office and the Scottish Office, he proposes to arrange for a special investigation of the causes of all fatal road accidents over a period sufficiently long to give reliable results.

Information is generally available in the form of police reports or of evidence at inquests which, if properly collected, will enable the cause to be established with some degree of certainty.

In the new inquiry he proposes to act in co-operation with the National Safety First Association, which has done valuable work in this field in the past.

Strewn with Dead.

Mr. Justice Goddard, charging the Grand Jury at Lewes Assizes recently said:

The roads are strewn with injured and dead people and unless the law is firmly and rigorously administered this state of affairs is likely to continue.

"The calendar," he continued, "contains three cases of alleged manslaughter by motorists, while there are several actions connected with motoring accidents in the civil list."

"Juries are very reluctant to find a verdict of manslaughter in such cases. I am in no way criticising them, but I cannot help thinking that they would be willing, when they do not consider a verdict of manslaughter is justified, to return a verdict of guilty for a lesser offence."

"There is no provision in the Road Act or any other statute that in a charge of manslaughter it should be open to a jury to find a verdict for driving in a manner dangerous to the public."

The Difficulty.

"Under one section of the Road Act it is provided that people shall not be convicted of reckless or careless driving unless certain formalities have been gone through. When the police come to the conclusion that a manslaughter charge may be preferred they might also give notice at the same time that it is intended to prefer a charge of dangerous driving."

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## LEAGUE TENNIS CLOSING

### KOWLOON INDIANS & UNIVERSITY END PROGRAMMES

#### THE LAST WEEK.

The League tennis season of 1932 is rapidly drawing to a close and by Wednesday week will have officially ended.

There are still several outstanding fixtures to be played off, but already a number of teams have completed their programmes. On Saturday the University, in the "B" and the Kowloon Indians and Kowloon Cricket Club in the "C" played off their final matches.

#### "B" DIVISION.

University Win Last Match of Programme.

#### ARMY DEFEATED.

Playing home, the Army team lost to the University by 3½ sets to 5½. Scores:—

Barry and Black (A. T. C.) lost to Khoo and Lien 4-6; lost to Tay and Chew 4-6; beat Lo and Ng, 6-2. Morgan and Stocker (A. T. C.) tied with Khoo and Lien, 6-6; beat Tay and Chew, 6-4; beat Lo and Ng, 6-3.

Bourne and Crosswell (A. T. C.) lost to Khoo and Lien, 2-6; lost to Tay and Chew, 5-7; lost to Lo and Ng, 4-6.

#### C.S.C.C. v. Recreio.

At Happy Valley the Club de Recreio beat the Civil Service Cricket Club by 8 sets to one. Scores:—

Fowler and Bickford (C.S.C.C.) lost to A. V. Remedios and H. A. Barrow, 1-6; lost to C. A. Barretto and J. Goncalves, 1-6; lost to E. A. Noronha and H. Noronha, 3-6. Bradley and Braden (C.S.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Barrow, 1-6; drew with Barretto and Goncalves, 6-6; lost to Noronha and Noronha, 4-6. Balfour and Barrow (C.S.C.C.) lost to Remedios and Barrow, 3-6; drew with Barretto and Goncalves, 6-6; lost to Noronha and Noronha, 3-6.

#### "C" DIVISION.

Kowloon Indians Defeat Kowloon C.C.

#### INTERESTING GAME.

Entertaining the Kowloon C.C., the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club won by 5½ sets to 3½. Scores:—

Feroz Ali and H. Mahan Singh (K.I.T.C.) drew with White and Capell, 6-6; drew with Smith and Mackay, 6-6; lost to Hambly and Philipps, 3-6. M. A. Khan and Firdos Khan (K.I.T.C.) lost to White and Capell, 3-6; drew with Smith and Mackay, 6-6; beat Hambly and Philipps, 6-2. S. R. Salleh and I. Mahan Singh (K.I.T.C.) beat White and Capell, 6-2; beat Smith and Mackay, 6-4; beat Hambly and Philipps, 6-2.

#### "A" Division.

	P. W. D. L. Pts.
Chinese R.C.	4 4 - 8
Indian R.C.	4 3 - 11
Kowloon C.C.	4 1 2 3
Hongkong C.C.	3 - 1 2 1
South China A.A.	3 - 3 - 3

#### "B" Division.

	P. W. D. L. Pts.
Craigengower C.C.	7 7 - 14
South China A.A.	7 6 - 13
University	9 5 1 3 11
Chinese R.C.	5 5 - 10
Indian R.C.	9 3 2 4 8
Recreio	8 3 - 4 6
Army T.C.	8 3 - 4 6
Hongkong C.C.	7 2 - 6 4
Civil Service C.C.	7 1 1 6 3
Kowloon C.C.	8 - 8 - 8

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## BOWLS LEAGUE

### CRAIGENGOWER WIN BOTH TITLES

#### CONSISTENCY'S REWARD

#### GALLANT POLICE

By winning both their senior and junior matches on Saturday afternoon, the Craigengower C. C. carried off the championship of both divisions, a feat unique in the annals of bowls in the Colony. They are to be congratulated on their achievement, of which they may feel justly proud.

#### LEAGUE I.

U. M. Omar Responsible for Craigengower Victory.

By defeating the Civil Service C.C., the Craigengower C.C. became champions of the League. For their victory, they had U. M. Omar to thank. Omar was in great form and beat Hollidge's rink by no fewer than 20 shots, wiping out the deficit of 12 shots sustained by the other two Craigengower rinks. Scores:—

W. T. Brightman, A. E. Conates, E. el Arcult and U. M. Omar (C.C.C.) beat N. Bobington, J. W. Denkin, R. P. Phillips and J. Hollidge 34-14.

G. Buchanan, M. J. O'Brien, C. S. Rosslet and R. Basa (C.C.C.) lost to W. Simmonds, L. E. Longbottom, F. R. Jones and A. W. Grimmit 12-20.

L. E. Lammert, M. A. R. Souza, D. Ramjahn and B. W. Bradbury lost to S. Ramilly, S. Alderman, J. S. Alderman, J. S. Oswick and A. O. Brown 18-20.

Total.—C.C.C. 62; C.S.C.C. 54. Kowloon Ducks v. Talook Ducks.

The meeting of the two ducks resulted in a victory for Kowloon Ducks by five shots. Scores:—

E. Docherty, J. Kempton, W. Greig and J. McKelvie (K.D.) beat J. Polson, D. Bone, J. Russell and J. C. Chalmers 19-17.

V. Ramsay, R. Craig, J. Lindsay and J. Brown (K.D.) lost to J. Watson, A. Stalker, R. M. Keown and W. Waterspoon 18-25.

A. Calman, R. Morrison, G. Cooper and F. Cullen (K.D.) beat J. Chapman, W. Weir, G. McLeod and J. Munro 25-15.

Total.—Kowloon Ducks 62; Talook Ducks 57.

#### K.C.C. v. Recreio.

Visiting the Kowloon C.C., the Club de Recreio collected another two points, winning comfortably by 18 shots. Scores:—

E. C. Fincher, A. C. Burford, H. M. McTavish and J. C. Lyl (K.C.C.) beat E. X. Silva, C. Lopes, E. Remedios and C. G. Silva 20-19.

H. Hampton, F. Goodwin, J. Hyde and J. Fraser (K.C.C.) lost to J. M. M. Alves, R. R. Roberts, L. C. R. Souza and R. F. Luz 16-22.

H. Gittins, W. Ferguson, A. Hyde-Lay and R. Lapsley (K.C.C.) lost to L. A. Gutierrez, F. V. Ribeiro, A. S. Gomes and C. Marques 15-28.

Total.—K.C.C. 51; Recreio 69. K.B.G.C. v. Police.

In a very exciting game which finished in total darkness, the Police registered their third successive victory of the season by defeating the Kowloon Bowling Green Club by two shots. The result was in doubt up to the last end. Scores:—

C. S. Bent, H. F. Stoneham, H. Nish and W. Russell (K.B.G.C.) lost to A. Nolan, R. Marks, W. Muir and J. C. West 21-24.

G. N. Mitchell, A. K. Taylor, E. W. L. Hogbin and D. Gow (K.B.G.C.) lost to W. Glendenning, T. R. Hunter, F. E. Booker and J. C. Moss 17-28.

E. S. Nichol, R. Duncan, R. Hall and A. M. Holland (K.B.G.C.) beat E. G. Post, J. Ellis, A. N. Reynolds and W. E. Hollands 27-15.

Total.—K.B.G.C. 65; Police 67.

## RUGBY UNION CRITICISED

### REPLACEMENT OF INJURED PLAYERS QUESTION

At a meeting of the Management Committee of the New Zealand Rugby Union held at Wellington the attitude of the English authorities with regard to the question of the replacement of injured players, and their leaving the field at half-time was strongly condemned.

The members indicated that they would take a firm stand in the event of their request for special dispensation in this respect being refused. No immediate action was, however, to be taken until they had heard from Australia to whom they had written asking for their support in this matter.

#### NEW ZEALAND-PROTEST.

The Chairman, Mr. S. S. Dean, said that if the English authorities refused to sanction the practices to which New Zealand had become accustomed, they—New Zealand—ought to make a very definite protest. So far, no reply had been received from England to their request for special dispensations. In his opinion, the Chairman stated, the position had been aggravated somewhat in their attitude to the proposed Rugby Commission. England apparently thought that they—New Zealand—were giving a lead to

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## SUCCESSFUL YEAR ENJOYED BY K.I.T.C.

### Club Makes Big Strides

#### THE NEW OFFICERS

Mr. Mahan Singh was re-elected President of the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club at the annual meeting held on Saturday, when a successful year, both financially and from the playing viewpoint, was reported by the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Feroz Ali.

Supporting Mr. Mahan Singh, who was in the chair, was Mr. Abbas Khan, one of the oldest supporters of the club.

It was stated by the Hon. Secretary that eleven new members had joined the club during the past year and that encouraging improvement had been displayed in the standard of play. The club had enjoyed its most successful season since entering the tennis league.

The officers elected were: President, Mr. Mahan Singh; Vice President, Mr. M. A. Khan; Hon. Secretary, Mr. Feroz Ali; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Bichan Singh; committee, Messrs. Firdos Khan, S. R. Salleh, Harban Singh, Capt. Gore and Mit Singh.

## DEMPSEY WINS

### KAYOES CANADIAN HEAVYWEIGHT

Portland, Aug. 12. Jack Dempsey, former world's heavyweight champion, once more proved he still packs a wallop here to-night when he technically knocked out Frank Sawyer, Canadian heavyweight aspirant, in the third round of their scheduled four-round bout.

The bout was the main attraction of the evening in a card in which Speedy Dado of the Philippines fought and defeated Rodolfo Teglia of Argentina.

Dempsey, whose comeback campaign suffered a severe setback when he permitted King Levinsky to obtain a draw in a recent bout, was the old ring master to-night. He hammered the ambitious Canadian with crushing wallops in the clinches and had him at his mercy most of the time.

Dempsey outweighed Sawyer by five pounds. He tipped the scales at 201 pounds against his opponent's 197.

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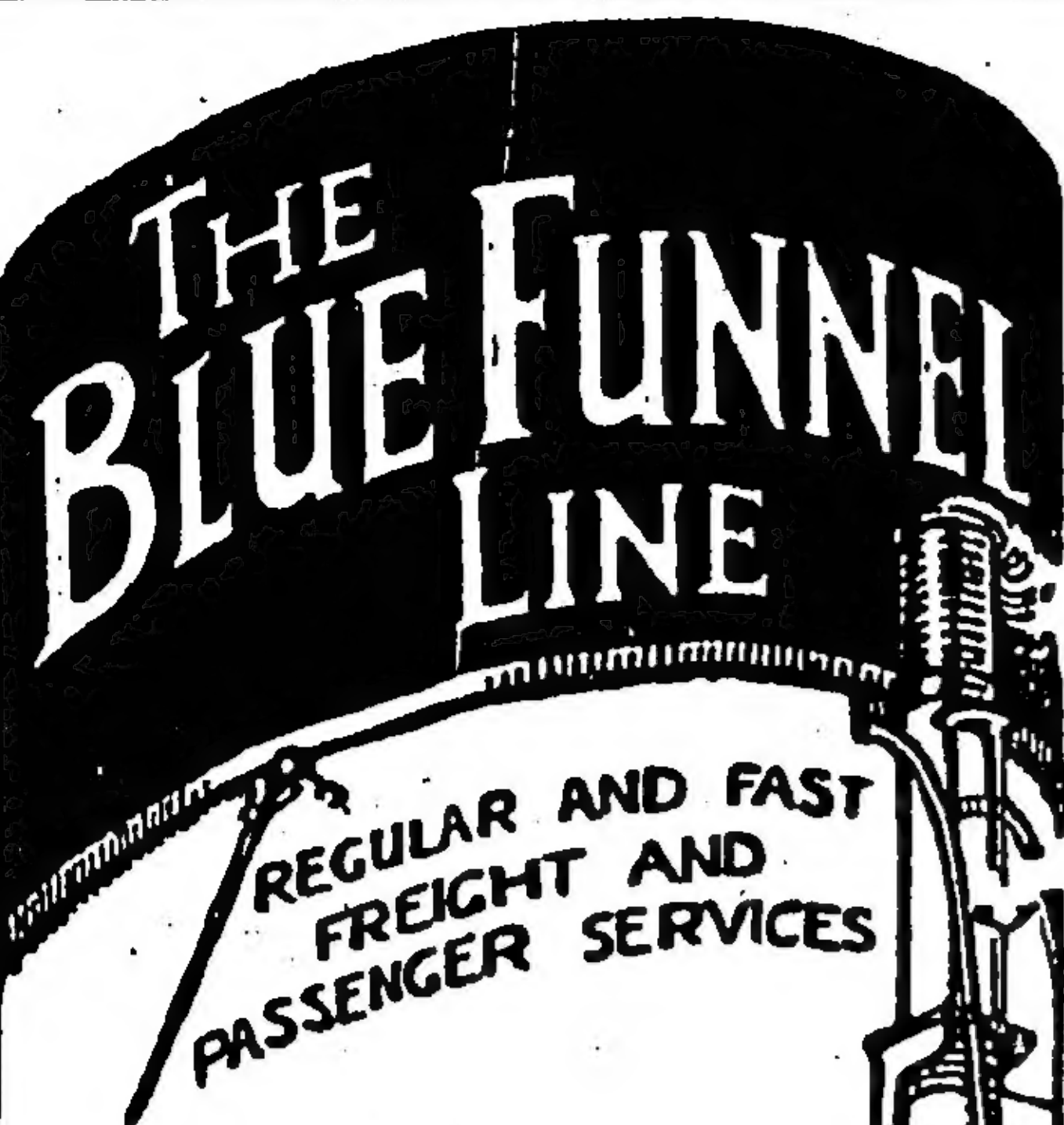
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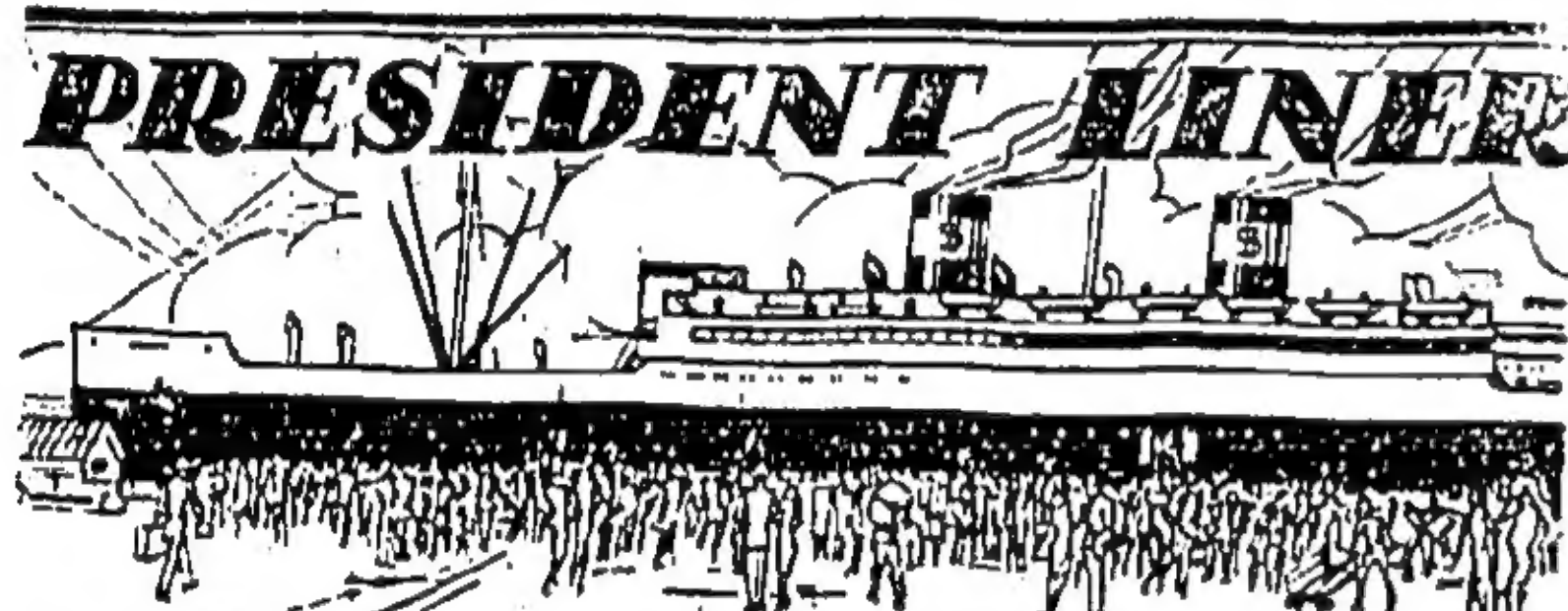
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## LOCAL PLANE CRASH

## HUT WRECKED: THREE INJURED

A high-speed Fairey Gordon fighting plane is a complete wreck, one Chinese is in the Kowloon Hospital with several broken bones and head and face injuries, and a young American engineer, Mr. A. W. Summers has a broken arm, as a result of a sensational crash near the Kai Tak aerodrome late on Saturday afternoon.

The pilot of the machine, Captain W. E. F. Jones, escaped unhurt.

The plane flew right through a Chinese house, wrecking it and injuring two of its occupants.

Second only to the A. W. XVI, amongst the aeroplanes at Kai Tak for air speed, the Fairey Gordon was the biggest and one of the finest looking machines in the hangar.

Three weeks ago she was taken fresh from the packing cases and assembled by Royal Air Force experts. The Superintendent of the Civil Aerodrome, Flight-Lieut. A. J. Moss, gave the machine its O.K. and it had been in the air on several occasions before its disastrous flight.

On Saturday afternoon, Capt. Jones took the machine up to test the radio equipment in the observer's cockpit. It was in the air for 27 minutes and gave every satisfaction, responding easily to the controls.

The second flight was for six minutes and was also satisfactory.

But the third flight was the last. Having circled the drome, the pilot flew close to the hills at the side of Kai Tak before turning towards the drome and harbour.

Half the distance had been covered and the machine was travelling at 75 miles an hour when the pilot felt it rapidly losing altitude.

Capt. Jones told her.

Either a strong down-current of air from the hills had caught him or he had flown into one of the air pockets so frequently encountered in hilly country.

He gave the plane full gun, and although his speed was rising to 80 miles an hour, he was falling lower and lower.

A ramshackle Chinese dwelling loomed ahead, the roaring propeller striking it first and scattering the roof for fifty yards in all directions.

The undercarriage was badly damaged by this first impact, but the occupants of the plane were still unhurt.

A new danger, however threatened. Ahead was the embankment along which the road to the drome is built. A decision had to be made in less than a second, and Capt. Jones made the right decision.

He crashed his plane on the soft ground instead of colliding head on with the solid wall.

The landing was a good one, but the ground was alternatively sudden and bumpy. The big wheels struck a bad patch, and the tail rose high in the air plunging the nose in the ground. For a moment it stayed in that position then fell back on an even keel. The engine had been ripped right out of position by the force of the impact, and only a few strands of tubing were left to connect it with the plane.

## Pilot Unhurt.

Aircraftmen stationed at Kai Tak were eye-witnesses of the crash. They ran across the drome to do whatever was possible and found Capt. Jones, unscathed, standing beside the wreck of the machine.

Mr. Summers, the passenger who was formerly Hongkong ground engineer for the L. E. Gale Company, was nursing a broken arm. When the plane struck the ground he had been thrown violently against the metal gun mounting.

The Chinese house was a complete wreck. The inhabitants were running about wildly excited, but one old man was moaning with pain. The ambulance was called and he was rushed to the Kowloon Hospital, where it was found that his injuries, though painful, were not serious.

Both pilot and observer's cockpits were undamaged, even the glass covering the dashboard instruments being intact. This can be attributed to the fact that the engine and propeller are more than 12 feet from the pilot.

The plane was so badly damaged that it is not likely she will be able to fly again.

## LESSON-SERMON.

## FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, HONGKONG

"Mind" was the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ Scientist, yesterday. The Golden Text was—"The Lord hath been mindful of us: he will bless us." (Psalm 115:12.) Among the citations which comprised the Lesson-Sermon was the

## LEAP YEAR BRIDE

(Continued from Page 3.)

"How about the Venetian Grill," he suggested. "The food's rather good."

It was a restaurant new to Cherry. She said eagerly that she would like to visit the Venetian Grill, and the matter was settled. They crowded into the roadster and were off.

The rain, starting in the morning, had continued throughout the day. Now it had settled down to a moist drizzle. The wet pavement reflected the street lights, hanging above like glamorous golden balloons in the darkness. Pearson drove carelessly, Cherry thought, but they arrived without mishap.

There are restaurants like the Venetian Grill in every large city in the country. Half a dozen musicians on a slightly raised platform at the far side of the large room were playing a fox-trot. Their music was subdued and not unpleasant. In the centre of the floor a space had been cleared for dancing. The decorations of the place—painted walls, mirrors, heavy gold and blue curtains, palms in huge pottery jars, pose-shaded table lamps—were a bit garish. Still there was an air of gaiety about the place. Young couples sitting at small tables were obviously dressed in their best for "dates." There were groups of well-dressed, prosperous looking business men and here and there a family party.

Cherry and Max and Dan chose a table near the wall. One look at the menu card and the girl was relieved. It was not going to be terribly expensive after all. She thought of the ruined dinner at home and sighed involuntarily. Cherry, during the past two weeks, had been learning to count her pennies.

"Steaks are the speciality," Pearson told her.

They settled on the order and Dan launched immediately into a discussion of local politics. Cherry was relieved. She did not want to talk. How could she forget the failure of her entire day's work—the labour, expense and careful planning that had literally gone up in smoke.

Pearson's voice interrupted her thoughts. She said, "I'm sorry but I'm afraid I wasn't listening."

He said, "Won't you dance this one with me?"

Other couples were already circling the cleared space. The music was a waltz from a German motion picture. It's slow rhythm was melodious, contagious.

"Go ahead," Dan urged. "Personally I couldn't stagger as far as the next table. I'm all in tonight!"

Cherry smiled, "I'd love to," she said.

They were an attractive couple—the tall, handsome Pearson and the slender girl in black. Other diners paused to notice them.

After that first dance they returned to their table. They danced a second time and then a third. Cherry's head came just above Pearson's shoulder. She had to tilt it backward to meet his eyes. Their steps matched perfectly and the syncopation became more haunting, more hypnotic.

Pearson's arm tightened imperceptibly about the girl.

Dan and Cherry were alone in the apartment. It was nearly 11 o'clock and Cherry, in a rose negligee, was brushing her hair for the night.

"Honestly, don't you think Max is a wonder?" Dan asked. "Isn't he about the most interesting talker you've ever met?"

The girl agreed. She hastened to turn the conversation into other channels. But half an hour later—in spite of repeatedly telling herself not to—it was Max Pearson of whom Cherry was thinking.

What was it she had read in Max's dark eyes? Surely—oh, surely she had been mistaken!

(To be continued.)

following from the Bible—"God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands; Neither is worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed any things, seeing he giveth to all life, and breath, and all things; for in him we live, and move, and have our being." (Acts 17, 24, 25, 28.)

The Lesson-Sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy—"God has countless ideas, and they all have one Principle and parentage. The only proper symbol of God as person is Mind's infinite ideal. What is this ideal? Who shall behold it? This ideal is God's own image, spiritual and infinite. Even eternity can never reveal the whole of God, since there is no limit to infinity or to its reflections." (p. 617.)

## U.S. WAR-DEBT PLAN STIRS WIDE RESPONSE

## PLANK TO BRIDGE WORLD GAP

Washington, July 25.

A first plank in the bridge between Europe and the United States on the war-debt question is believed to have been laid by Senator William E. Borah (R.) of Idaho, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee.

Both in the Old and New Worlds the echo was heard to-day of Senator Borah's speech, in which he proposed an immediate international conference to consider either "reduction or cancellation" of war debts in connection with other post-war problems, including disarmament and finance.

After 12 years as leader of the isolationist camp, Mr. Borah's unexpected speech left most of the isolationists in Congress too stunned for detailed utterance, and official comment from the Administration was also lacking. Comment reached Washington at once from Europe, however, reflecting in various ways the deep impression which Mr. Borah's speech had made.

## No Shift, Borah Says.

The first European reaction appeared to assume that Mr. Borah had been converted to cancellation, and to ignore the important conditions he had made. Mr. Borah himself denied here that he had shifted ground, or that his opposition to cancellation was removed unless linked with immediate reduction in armament construction, and relief in monetary problems through international co-operation.

Those interested in historic parallels recall that Mr. Borah delivered a speech in 1920 demanding disarmament which was followed immediately thereafter by a speech of Charles E. Hughes, then Secretary of State, in New Haven, almost paraphrasing the remarks.

The Borah address at that time paved the way for public opinion to support the historic arms conference.

The view is expressed here that Mr. Borah's latest speech offers Europe an opportunity to introduce war-debt discussion at the approaching London economic conference, which Mr. Hoover has already stated the United States would attend.

## Ignores Hoover Condition.

President Hoover made American acceptance to the invitation of the League of Nations to the London conference conditional on the avoidance of reparations and war debt discussion. Mr. Borah ignores Mr. Hoover's conditions. He asks discussion of currency, debts, reparations, the gold standard, stabilization of silver in the Orient and disarmament.

Tariffs alone are excluded. His appeal is an appeal for international co-operation. Events have convinced him that "no clear and permanent solution of the farm question, the unemployment problem, devastating taxes, unbalanced budgets can be hoped for until some or all of these international problems are out of the way."

Mr. Borah's openness of view on the subject goes far beyond the prevailing sentiment of Congress. Indications are that his views would be far more satisfactory to the Administration than even Mr. Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of State, would willingly admit.

At the outset of Congress, Mr. Hoover appealed to the legislature to reopen the whole subject of war debts. He proposed that the former Debt-Funding Commission be restored. He told Congress bluntly that it could not blind itself to the fact that economic conditions had changed since the debt settlements were negotiated on the basis of "ability to pay."

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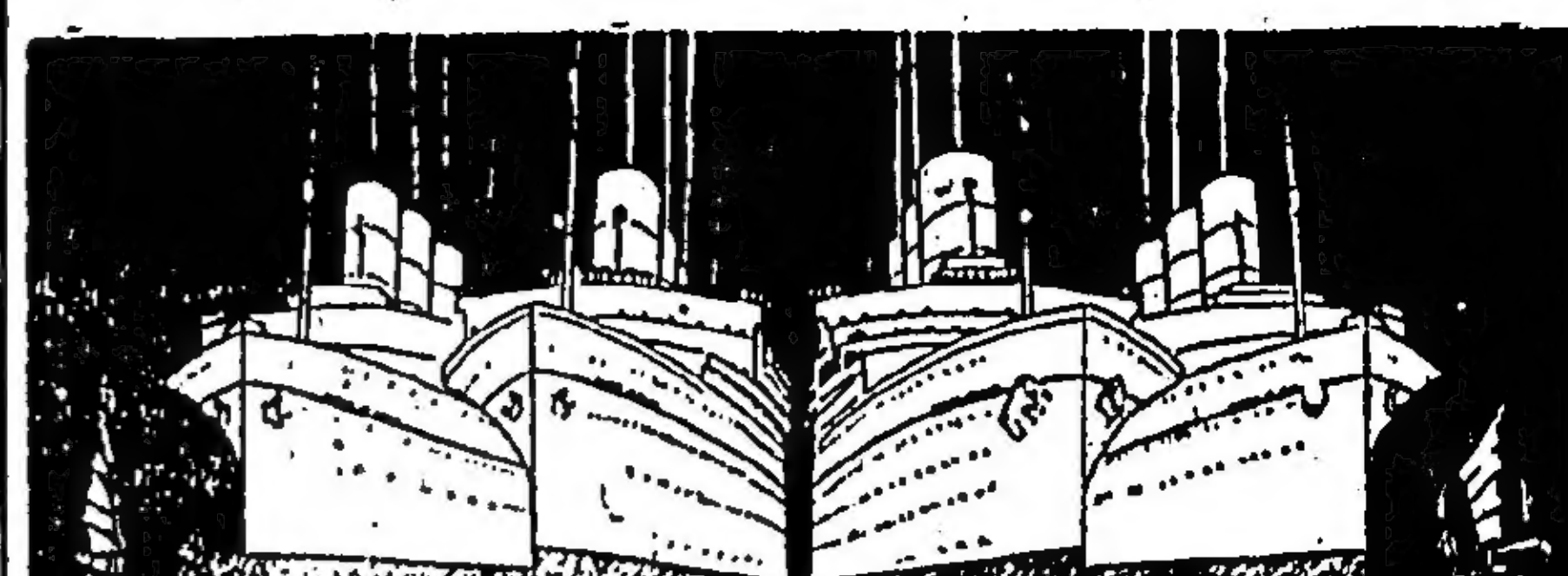
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## WAH YAN COLLEGE

## JESUIT FATHERS TO TAKE OVER ADMINISTRATION

Regarding the pending change in the administration of the Wah Yan College, Father G. Byrne, S.J., when interviewed yesterday, stated that the Wah Yan College was among the well-known educational institutions of the Colony and had a roll of over 600 boys. It was founded by its present Principal, Mr. Peter Tsui, under whose direction it had continued ever since, assisted by an able staff of Chinese Masters.

"Mr. Tsui is retiring from school life at the end of the year," said Father Byrne, "and has made arrangements for the continuance of the College by its transference to the Jesuit Fathers. The College will continue under the direction of Mr. Tsui to the end of the year. In September, however, one wing of the boarding department will be set aside for five members of the Order. They will join the teaching staff and familiarise themselves with the actual conditions of the school and its work, before taking over the management at the beginning of the holidays in December.

"The College buildings will remain, as they have always been, the property of the Catholic Mission, under Bishop Valtorta. They will continue to be rented from the Mission by the Jesuits, as they are at present rented by Mr. Tsui."

At the end of December Fr. R. Gallagher, S.J., Ph.D., becomes Headmaster, the local Correspondent being Fr. G. Byrne, Procurator of the Order in Hongkong. It is understood that, with a few exceptions of Masters who have already severed connexion with the school, the present very efficient staff of Chinese Masters will be retained.

## LOCAL WEDDING.

## SATURDAY'S CEREMONY AT UNION CHURCH

Of considerable local interest was the wedding which took place at the Union Church, Hongkong, on Saturday morning, of Miss Gwendoline Margaret Nicholls, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Nicholls, well-known residents of Hongkong, and Charles Ellwood Holmes, son of Mr. Ellwood Holmes, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, and of the late Mrs. Holmes.

The ceremony was performed by the Minister, Rev. E. G. Powell, with Mr. G. E. Longyear officiating at the organ. The bride, who looked charming in a dress of pink broderie anglaise and organdie, and carried a bouquet of pink roses and maidenhair ferns, was given away by her father, a young sister, Miss Betty Nicholls, was in attendance as bridesmaid, wearing a dainty frock of pink frilled organdie and carrying a Victoria posy of pink and white roses. The bride's mother wore a costume of pictured georgette.

Mr. G. Horridge discharged the duties of "best man".

After the ceremony, a reception was held, attended by many friends, at the residence of the bride's parents at 16, Peak Road.

The happy couple are proceeding to Japan for the honeymoon. Mrs. Holmes chose for her going-away dress a navy blue and white ensemble.

## NEW RENDEZVOUS.

## PRIVATE DINING ROOM AT EXCHANGE RESTAURANT

The management of the Exchange Restaurant are to be congratulated on providing what should prove a real boon to many hosts and hostesses, and their latest enterprise is a sure indication of their determination to keep abreast of the growing needs of the Colony. A room has been specially set apart to meet the desire to entertain their friends to dinner, tea or coffee, and enjoy music and dancing, in strict privacy.

Upon entering the room, one is greatly impressed by the pleasing and restful atmosphere produced by the brightness of the general surroundings, and more especially by the neat and attractive decorations, most carefully considered, having been paid to detail. One can congratulate the Studio d'Art, who are responsible for the interior decorations, and Lane, Crawford, for the furniture and draperies. There has certainly been wrought a setting keyed to rhythm and carnival, yet retaining the necessary home-like atmosphere. The walls are panelled with wooden mouldings and are treated with plaster granule and finished off with a harmonious colour scheme rarely seen in Hongkong.

The curtains are of delicate shades of orange, with horizontal stripes of deep brown, gradually shading off into its different tints, ending in mauve, to complement the blue which is the theme of the colour scheme. Although of a fascinating shade, the dominant hue has been rendered more pleasing by clever super-imposition of gold over the veins of the plaster granule.

At a table with a big glass top an interviewer had demonstrated to him the way in which the colour schemes are arrived at scientifically—by means of accurate dilution or intensification with burrettes and pipettes with standard colours of the spectrum. The choice of the exact shade of the complimentary colour of the dominant hue can only be attained accurately by this means.

## MEDICAL AID IN THE NEW TERRITORIES.

## GOVERNMENT HOUSE SHOWS INTEREST IN WORK

A printed copy of the general and financial report of the New Territories Medical Benevolent Society, for the year 1931 (already published in this paper) has been received, together with a copy of a letter from Government House, as follows:

Dear Sir,—I am directed by Mrs. W. T. Southern to acknowledge with thanks the copy of your 1931 Report. His Excellency and Mrs. Southern are very much interested to see the good work which is going on and hope that it will continue to flourish in the future. They were also glad to hear that the charity performance at the Queen's Theatre netted such a large profit, and they wish to take this opportunity to congratulate you and all those connected with the performance for the excellent work done.

(Signed) F. W. WEBB, Captain, Aide-de-Camp. The letter is addressed to Dr. F. I. Tsung, Honorary Secretary, New Territories Medical Benevolent Society.

## TERRIFIC STRAIN

## MOLLISON COMMENTS ON HIS FLIGHT

St. John, Aug. 20. "It was the toughest flight I have ever made," said Mr. J. A. Mollison upon his arrival here after crossing the Atlantic in a westerly direction in a light aeroplane, "and I am jolly well done."

In order to reach the flier has decided to delay his departure to New York until 5.30 p.m. and then to fly via Montreal where he will appear in an air pagant.

Mollison emphasised the terrible physical and mental strain of the flight, which was made through fog and rain. Although never above 500 feet, he was unable to see the water below for hours and did not know whether the wind, which was turning, was causing him to drift off his course.

## Allowance For Drifting.

In view of this, he allowed seven degrees for drifting, which proved to be just about right, as, when he came overland in the morning it was not ten minutes before he sighted Harbour Grace. The intrepid flier added that in view of his marriage, he would not have flown till later if the flight had not been arranged six months before.

He would have tried to reach New York if he had had ten more gallons of petrol, he said.

Mollison exclaimed that the return flight would be easy, but he had definitely given up the plan to return to England within a minimum period.

He further explained that his wife, formerly Miss Amy Johnson, would not return with him by air.

He is receiving thousands of messages of congratulation, and the Press throughout America is eulogising the airman's feat.—*Reuter.*

## WANG WILL AGREE.

## TO REMAIN TEMPORARILY IN EXECUTIVE YUAN

Nanking, Aug. 21. Mr. Wang Ching-wei and others have returned from Kuling. It is understood that Wang Ching-wei has virtually agreed to Chiang Kai-shek's suggestion to remain in the Executive Yuan until the third Plenary session of the C. E. C. of the Kuomintang.—*Reuter.*

## Wang's Confirmation.

Nanking, Aug. 21. Mr. Wang Ching-wei, interviewed to-day, confirmed the report that he had agreed to remain temporarily as President of the Executive Yuan, pending the selection of his successor by the Plenary Session of the C. E. C.—*Reuter.*

## Chang's Successor.

Nanking, Aug. 20. A Government Mandate appoints Chiang Kai-shek concurrently "Chairman of the Peiking branch of the Military Council" which supersedes the office of "Pacification Commissioner of North China," which was recently held by Chang Hsueh-liang.—*Reuter.*

## Marshal May Stay.

Peking, Aug. 20. The passports for Chang Hsueh-liang and his party have arrived.

## AMERICA PRAISED

## FOR ATTITUDE REGARDING MANCHURIA

Nanking, Aug. 21. In its leading article this morning, the *Central Daily News* pays a high tribute to America's stand in regard to Manchuria, as reflected in the recent speeches of Mr. H. L. Stimson and President Hoover.

The journal also draws attention to the report of the *Baltimore Sun* to the effect that the United States demands the assurance of British support in Manchuria as the price for naval reductions, declaring that if the report is true it shows that America is nearing the end of her patience in respect to the Sino-Japanese affairs.

The paper goes on to point out that the present situation in Manchuria not only adversely affects American commercial interests, but also tends to compromise her prestige as sponsor of the Nine-Power Treaty and the Kellogg Pact.

## U. S. Not Supported.

"Since the Manchurian trouble America has been unsurpassed in her sincere intention to help to bring about a settlement, but not being a member of the League and geographically far removed from the scene of conflict, she was naturally anxious to seek the concerted action and support of France and Britain," adds the article.

The journal deprecates that, due to varying national interests, such support was not readily forthcoming, thereby encouraging Japan in her inordinate ambitions.—*Reuter.*

## Ambassador's Optimism.

Washington, Aug. 20. The Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Mochizuki, who is returning to Tokyo, has declared that he is hopeful that differences, if any, between Japan and the United States over Manchuria, would soon be reconciled.—*Reuter.*

## MISSING MALAYANS.

## INDIA AIR SURVEY SEARCH PARTY'S MISHAP

Calcutta, Aug. 20. Mr. Raynham, Managing Director of the India Air Survey Company and his search party, who left to-day for Rangoon on their way to Bangkok to search for the Malayans, Salt and Taylor, who have been missing for a week since setting out to fly to England, made a forced landing 50 miles north of Akyab, believed to be due to engine trouble.—*Reuter.*

from Nanking, but it is doubtful whether they will be used.

The Young Marshal still professes his wish to go abroad, but a movement to retain him in Peking is daily gaining strength.—*Reuter.*



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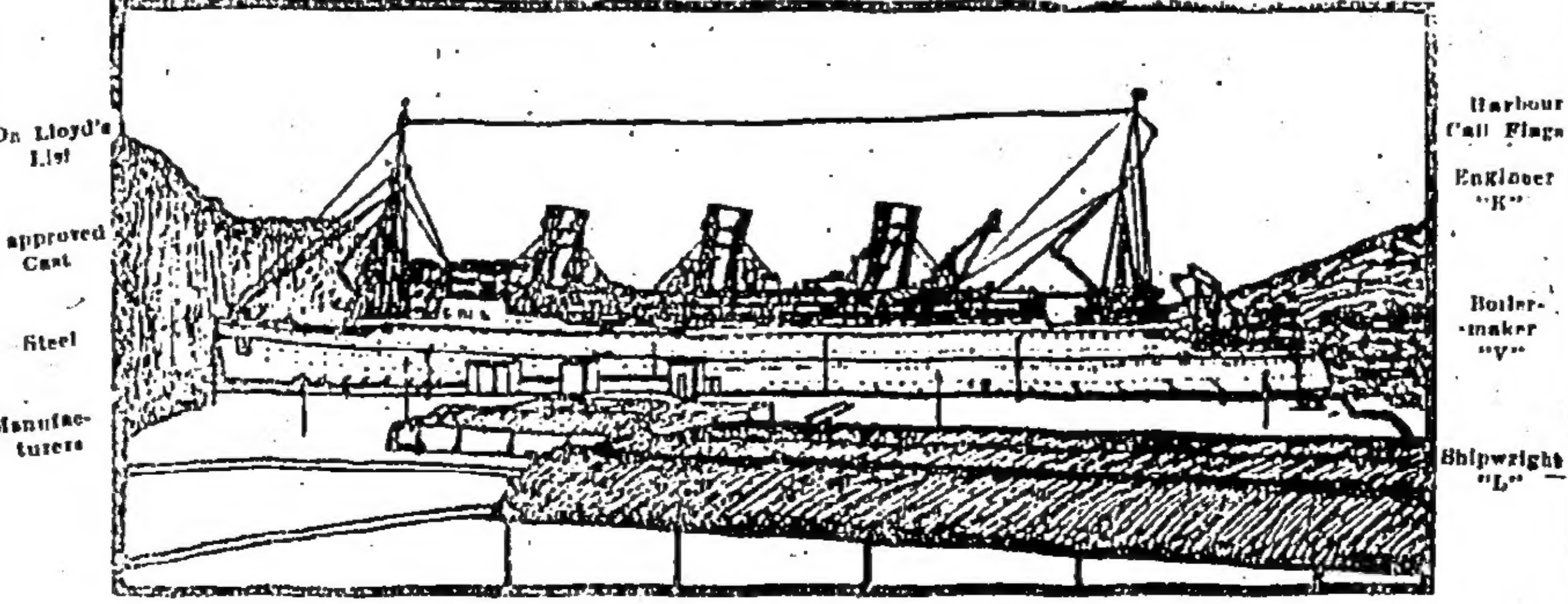
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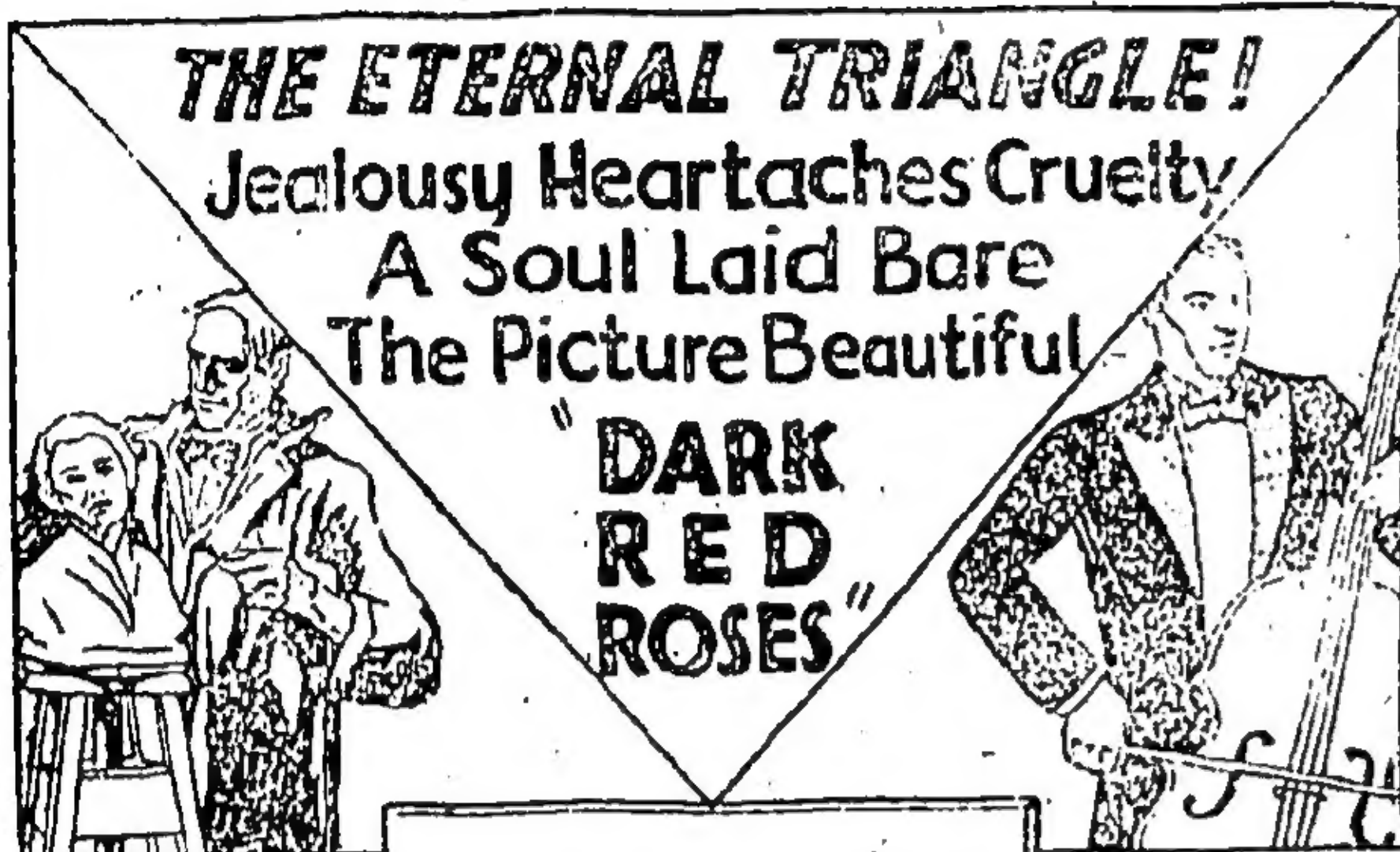
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### BURGLAR'S CLASH WITH POLICE

#### SHOOTING CHARGE NOT PROVED

A struggle with a prisoner during the early hours of the morning when, in a desperate effort to evade arrest, the man, according to the Crown, fired at a Police officer, was related before His Honour Mr. Justice Wood at the Criminal Sessions this morning when Lam Im was charged with shooting at Sergeant Harris with intent to maim, disfigure or disable, or with the intent to evade arrest.

Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith (Assistant Crown Solicitor) appeared for the prosecution and the following comprised the jury:—Messrs. V.C. Labrum (foreman), Lo In, D.G. Chin, J.C. Doherty, H.A. de Figueiredo, Chuk Tai-kwong and A. F. Gladstone.

The prisoner entered a plea of not guilty.

Mr. Whyte Smith said that at 4.20 a.m. on July 2, Sergeant Harris was on duty at the junction of French Street and Des Voeux Road West when he noticed the prisoner, whose clothing was bulging. The man was stopped and searched and found to be wearing four or five suits of clothing. He was placed under arrest and was being taken to the Police Station when he struggled with the officer in an attempt to escape. Both men fell to the ground. During the struggle, the officer grabbed the prisoner's right hand and found him holding the officer's revolver which had been removed from his holster. He wrested the revolver from the prisoner who managed to escape but was subsequently re-arrested and taken to the No. 7 Police Station.

#### SHOTS FIRED.

Mr. Whyte Smith remarked that it should be mentioned at this stage that during the struggle the prisoner fired two shots, and when he was running away the officer fired one shot at the fugitive. At the Police Station it was found that the revolver contained three rounds of ammunition and three spent shells.

Later when Sub-Inspector O'Connor was making investigations into the case, he requested to be shown the officer's uniform and it was then that marks were found on the tunic. These marks

### ANGLO-CANADIAN AGREEMENT

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In Canada's preferences, it is stated that the revisions in textile duties relate chiefly to linens and major classifications of cotton and woollen fabrics.

### SOUTH RHODESIAN AGREEMENT

#### MODELLED ON THE SAME LINES.

The Agreement between Britain and Southern Rhodesia grants free entry to Southern Rhodesian goods, subject to a reservation whereby the free entry of eggs, poultry, butter, cheese and other milk products will be continued for three years, Britain reserving the right thereafter to review the basis of the preference on these articles after notifying Southern Rhodesia that the British Government is either imposing a preferential duty, whilst maintaining the existing preferences, or is bringing the produce within any system for quantitative regulation into the United Kingdom markets.

Tobacco will enjoy the existing margin of preference so long as the duty does not exceed 2s. 0d. per lb., and Britain will endeavour to assist in the marketing of Southern Rhodesian tobacco.

Those marks were consistent with the theory that they had been caused by a revolver being fired while practically touching the tunic. Evidence was then called.

#### NOT GUILTY.

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty. "We are in doubt as to whether the prisoner fired the shots," said the foreman.

The prisoner pleaded guilty to a second charge of burglary and larceny and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment with hard labour.

A nolle prosequi was entered by the Crown on an alternative charge of shopbreaking and larceny.

### SOLDIER STEALS WATCH

#### PREFERS PRISON TO FINE

Private Donald McNab, 23 years of age, of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, was brought before Mr. Fraser at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of stealing a cigarette case from the Karachi Store on the evening of August 19. Defendant admitted the offence.

Inspector Elston, who prosecuted, said defendant walked into the store at about 9 p.m. on Friday, asked for a cigarette case and walked out with it. The complainant did not want to leave his shop unattended at the time, but after a few minutes' hesitation, he decided to follow the defendant. He eventually found him at the bus stop and asked him for the case. Defendant refused and got into a bus. The matter was reported to the police, and later defendant was arrested.

Inspector Elston said the matter would be very simple if the defendant returned the case, but he refused to do that. He was searched when he arrived in camp, but nothing was found on him. He must have got rid of it between the time he got on the bus and the time he arrived in camp.

His Worship:—What sort of a record has he got?

A military officer said defendant bore an excellent record until three months ago, when he smashed a window in Kowloon. Since then, there had been other minor offences.

His Worship:—It is very difficult for me. Some of these men come out here with a very good record, behave themselves very well for a long time, and then they start smashing windows and stealing cigarette-cases in the most barefaced manner. In most cases, they do these things not for the purpose of stealing. They, however, do not realise that a conviction may have a great effect on them in later life.

Turning to the defendant, his Worship asked, "Do you want to make amends to the complainant?"

Defendant:—No.

You won't pay him even if you get a chance?—No, sir.

"I will give you a chance anyway. I will fine you \$50 or one month's hard labour," said his Worship, to which defendant retorted:—"I'll take the month."

His Worship:—It is entirely up to you.

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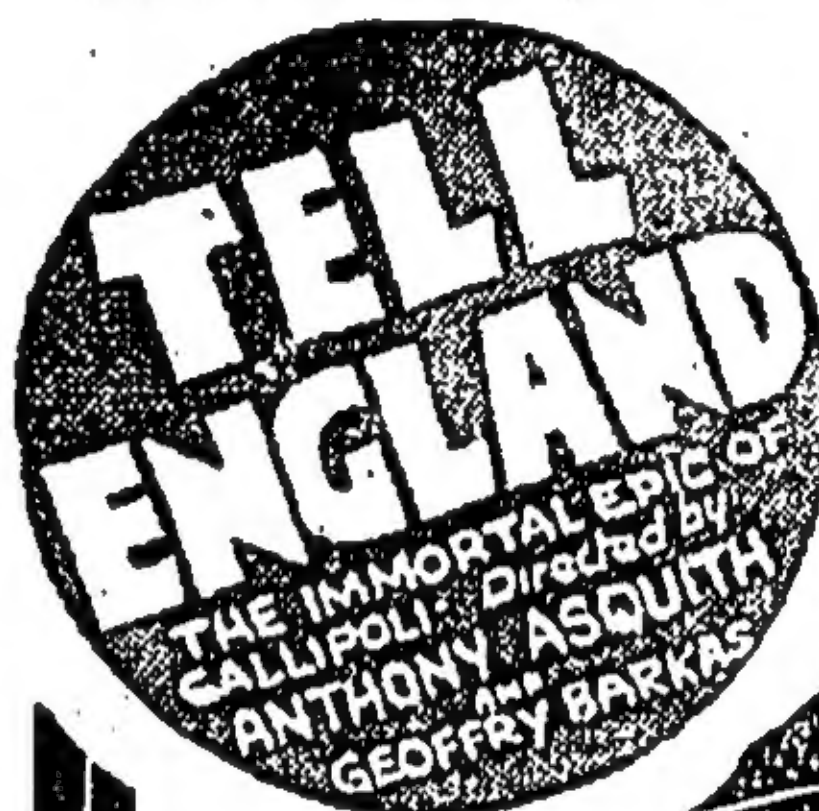
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